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Births.

HAMBURGER.—October 7, at her residence, Rosalie, Johnston-street, Annandale, the wife of R. Hamburger, of a daughter.

KEMP.—September 18, at her residence, Hanney, Alfred-street, North Sydney, the wife of W. E. Kemp, of a daughter.

ROFE.—October 13, at her residence, Rofe's Family Hotel, Johnston-street, Annandale, the wife of W. J. Rofe, of a son, both doing well.

SCHMIDT.—October 10, at her residence, Wilhelmshohe, Pine-street, Randwick, the wife of W. L. Schmidt, of a daughter.

Marriages.

DAVIDSON—RAPPENEKER.—September 3, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. T. E. Clouston, William, second son of A. Davidson, Arbroath, Scotland, to Alice, fourth daughter of P. Rappeneker, Camperdown.

FELTON—BUTCHER.—September 27, 1895, at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, North Balmain, by the Rev. W. A. Charlton, Maurice Applebee Ernest Henry (Harry), eldest son of Mr. Maurice Applebee Felton, of Glen-street, Paddington, to Diana Maxfield (Di), the fifth daughter of Mr. Alfred Butcher, of Westleigh, Snails Bay, Sydney, and granddaughter of the late Commander Jonathan Butcher, R.N., of Boston, in the county of Lincoln. Lincolnshire and Lincolnshire papers please copy.

GOSMAN—AYRES.—October 3, 1895, at 109 Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst, by the Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan, assisted by the father of the bridegroom, John, elder son of the Rev. Professor Gosman, of Melbourne, Victoria, to Constance Everitt, third daughter of the late William Henry Ayres, of Sydney, and adopted daughter of Stephen W. Jones, Esq., J.P., late Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

JAMES—NOAKES.—October 7, 1895, at Wesleyan Church, Baulkham Hills, by Rev. P. J. Stephens, Matthew Henry, youngest son of Mr. George James, of Mulgoa, to Leah, youngest daughter of Mr. Solomon Noakes, of Windsor, Baulkham Hills.

RICHARD—TREBY.—October 9, at the Wesleyan Mission Parsonage, Goulburn, by the Rev. J. W. Holden, Alfred Ernest Richard, Esq., Assayer, Captain's Flat, N. S. W., to Annie Treby, of Goulburn, late of Captain's Flat.

ROURKE—WOLFE.—October 10, at St. Mary's Church, West Maitland, by the Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington, M.A., LL.B., assisted by the Rev. Clive Yarrington, M.A., William, eldest son of John Rourke, of Bolwarra House, West Maitland, to Clara May, second daughter of the late James E. Wolfe, of Springfield, West Maitland.

ROBB—ALLEN.—October 3, at the Ashfield Presbyterian Church, by the father of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. John Auld, M.A., A. F. Maldon Robb, only son of Rev. Alex. Robb, of Victoria, to Nellie Nelson, second daughter of Hector Allen, of Heathcot, Ashfield.

SYMONDS—HENDERSON.—October 9, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Parramatta, by the Rev. J. Paterson, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Cosh, Balmain, John, eldest son of Mr. James Symonds, Craigton, May's Hill, to Emily Janet, eldest daughter of Mr. D. D. Henderson, Glenlyon, Harris Park.

VYNER—GILL.—September 18, at St. Peter's Cathedral, Adelaide, by the Ven. Archdeacon Ross, D.D., assisted by the Rev. W. Fisher, M.A., Henry William, youngest son of the late C. J. Vyner, London, to Anna Emmeline, second daughter of the late John Gill, of Brookstead, Adelaide.

WUCKER—ANGLE.—October 2, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. George Grimm, Max Wucker, of Helios, Summer Hill, to Mary (Pollie) Thomas, fourth daughter of E. Angle, Esq., Cecily-street, Leichhardt.

Deaths.

A'BECKETT.—September 23, at her residence, Elwin, Brighton, Victoria, from acute jaundice, Fanny Sarah, widow of Edward a'Beckett and daughter of the late Sir Arthur Martin a'Beckett, F.R.C.S. Eng., of Sydney, N.S.W.

BROWN.—August 5, 1895, at the Wesleyan Mission House, Port Hunter, Duke of York (New Lauenburg), Annie Adeline, the dearly-beloved wife of the Rev. Wm. Brown.

CUBITT.—October 18, at Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst, Arthur Cubitt, in his 65th year. Interred at Waverley Cemetery.

EASTWAY.—October 12, 1895, at his late residence, 61 Bridge-road, Glebe Point, Richard John Eastway (of Eastway Brothers, George-street), aged 58, of pneumonia.

GILLESPY.—October 17, at Kuranda, Park-avenue, Burwood, James Edward Gillespy, aged 28 years.

LEACH.—October 18, 1895, at her residence, Campbell-road, Liverpool, E. R. Leach, aged 78 years.

LEWIS.—October 13, at his residence, 31 Pyrmont-street, Pyrmont, Richard Lewis, aged 75 years.

LLOYD.—October 17, at her residence, Harris-street, Pyrmont, Isabella, relict of the late George Day Lloyd, aged 66.

M'KILLOP.—October 16, at Balmain, Catherine, fifth daughter of the late Duncan M'Killop, of Terra Bella, Dubbo. R.I.P.

MOONEY.—October 14, at Parramatta, Austin Mooney, aged 66. R.I.P.

PERRY.—October 18, at St. Vincent's Hospital, James Perry, junior, aged 44 years.

REEVES.—September 24, at the Sydney Hospital, Thomas, the dearly-beloved husband of Ellen Reeves, aged 45 years.

SMITH.—August 22, at San Francisco (of pleurisy), Emma Eliza, beloved wife of B. J. Smith, late of Croydon, and daughter of the late John Sutherland Taylor, Sub-Inspector of Police, and beloved sister of Richard and Mary Ann Kay, Railway-place, South Sydney.

SMITH.—August 22, at San Francisco (of pleurisy), Emma Eliza, beloved wife of B. J. Smith, late of Croydon, N.S.W., daughter of the late John Sutherland Taylor, and step-daughter of Jane Taylor, and beloved sister of Walter Arthur and Alfred Taylor, of Belvoir-street, Sydney.

THOMAS.—October 18, 1895, at District Hospital, Parramatta, Mary Thomas, late Western-road, Prospect, relict of late James Goodin.

WRAY.—October 18, at the Glebe Hospital, Oliver Sidney, the youngest beloved son of F. M. Wray, aged 16 months.

YOUNG.—October 18, at her residence, Elizabeth Young, mother of Mrs. W. Mason, 143 Windsor-street, Paddington.

YOUNG.—October 18, at her residence, 56 Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, Elizabeth Young, sen.

In Memoriam.

FITZSIMMONS.—In loving remembrance of my dear father, who died 18th October, 1893. Inserted by his loving daughter, Mary Ward Fitz. R.I.P.

HAY.—In loving memory of my dear husband, James Alfred Hay, who departed this life 20th October, 1893, aged 72.

He has learned the song they sing whom Jesus hath set free,
And the glorious halls of heaven resound with his new-born melody.

Inserted by his loving wife, Maria Hay.

MAJERONI.—In loving and affectionate remembrance of my dear husband and our beloved father, Eduardo Majeroni, who died in Sydney, 20th October, 1891.

NOLAN.—In loving and sorrowful memory of my dear son, William John Nolan, whose body was lost off the Clarence steamer on the 19th October, 1876, on his passage from Grafton to Sydney, sick, and in pain too; faithful apprentice of Bae, the saddler, late of Grafton. May he rest in Heaven. Regretted until death by his mother, Jane Tracey.

Return Thanks.

The Family of the late Mr. RICHARD J. EASTWAY desire to return THANKS to the many friends for their kind sympathy, floral tributes, and letters of condolence in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. JANET LEWIS and FAMILY return their sincere THANKS for letters, cards, telegrams, and floral tributes sent, and sympathisers with them in their sad bereavement.

Captain JOHN MATHIAS, of the s.s. Cam, just arrived from Japan, desires to tender his most sincere THANKS to the many kind friends in Australia who have so deeply sympathised with him in his most sad bereavement in the loss of his beloved wife, Margaret May, in the ill-fated steamer Catterthun, 8th August, 1895.

Mrs. M. STENBERG and Family return their grateful THANKS to the Secretary and Brothers of Columbia Lodge No. 41, Order of Oddfellows, for their great kindness; and also to all other kind friends who have sympathised with them in their sad bereavement.

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		1895.	1895.	1895.
Darmstadt	5316	Nov. 2	Nov. 9	Nov. 13
Bayern	5349	Dec. 2	Dec. 7	Dec. 11
			1896.	1896.
Prinz-Regent Luitpold	6700	Dec. 30	Jan. 4	Jan. 8
		1896.		
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STEAMERS.

	Tons.	To Sail.
PORT ELLIOT	3558	29th October
MOGUL	3654	30th October
PATHAN	2709	15th November
PORT MELBOURNE	4670	30th November.
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ROMANOFF	1226	Morgan	End November
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W. AUSTRALIAN PORTS, ESPERANCE BAY, via Albany	Rockton, This Day, 10 a.m., Oct. 19 (See Special advt. below.)
BRISBANE	Wodonga, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 22; Warrego, Friday, 5 p.m., Oct. 25; Fitzroy, Saturday, Oct. 26
MARYBOROUGH	Wodonga, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 22; Fitzroy, Saturday, Oct. 26
BUNDABERG GLADSTONE	Wodonga, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Oct. 22
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ALBANY, FREMANTLE, GERALDTON	Gabo, Tuesday Oct. 29, 5 p.m.
BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, BUNDABERG, ROCKHAMPTON	Tyrian, This Day, 2 p.m.; Gabo, Tuesday, Oct. 22, 5 p.m.
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BYE-ELECTION, 1895. ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SYDNEY. PHILLIP DIVISION.

I hereby certify the following to be the result of the election for the abovenamed electorate:—

COPELAND, HENRY	423
HODGSON, RALPH	303
WILSON, JAMES	163
HANRAHAN, JAMES VINCENT	4
DUMBRELL, WILLIAM ALFRED	1
Informal	7

And I therefore declare HENRY COPELAND to be duly elected as member of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales for the Electoral District of Sydney, Phillip Division.

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ROUND TRIPS BETWEEN SYDNEY AND WINDSOR.

TUESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, 1895.

SYDNEY	dep.	9.0 a.m.
MILSON'S POINT	"	8.45 "
STRATHFIELD	"	9.13 "
HAWKESBURY	arr.	10.20 "
WINDSOR	dep.	7.27 p.m.
SYDNEY	arr.	9.5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1895.

SYDNEY	dep.	9.25 a.m.
STRATHFIELD	"	9.39 "
WINDSOR	arr.	10.54 "
HAWKESBURY	dep.	6.45 p.m.
MILSON'S POINT	arr.	9.10 "
SYDNEY	"	9.5 "

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THURSDAY, 31st OCTOBER, 1895.

Sydney	dep.	p.m. 4.20	p.m. 5.0
Melbourne	arr.	a.m. 10.32 (Friday)	noon 12.0 (Friday)

SUNDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER, 1895.

Sydney	dep.	p.m. 5.15
Melbourne	arr.	noon 12.0 (Monday)

The Fares by Ordinary Express and Special Fast Express Trains from Sydney to Melbourne will be £6 1s 6d first and £4 11s second, available for return by any train within six months from date of issue.
On SATURDAY, 9th November, a SPECIAL EXPRESS TRAIN will leave Melbourne at 10.0 p.m., and be due Sydney at 5.25 p.m. on SUNDAY Evening, 10th November.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1895.

Sydney	dep.	9.5 a.m.
Melbourne	arr.	6.20 a.m., Saturday.

These Cheap Tickets will be available on the outward journey by the Special Train named only, but passengers can return by the Mail Train leaving Melbourne at 6.20 a.m. on any day (Sundays excepted) up to FRIDAY, 29th NOVEMBER, 1895, inclusive.
Passengers are requested to purchase their tickets by Thursday, 31st October, at latest.
Passengers from intermediate stations at which the Special Train is timed to call can obtain Tickets at the Through Sydney Excursion Rate, or at the Ordinary Rate if the latter is cheaper.
For further particulars see handbills.
By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN, Secretary.

New South Wales Government Railways,
Secretary's Office, Sydney,
11th October, 1895.
TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office (Colonial Secretary's Building), Macquarie-street, until 11 o'clock a.m. on the dates named:—
MONDAY, OCTOBER 28.
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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS with Plans of Distribution in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Chancery-square, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and Notice is hereby given that such Accounts and Plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on Wednesday, the 30th October, 1895, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—

ALEXANDER BURNS, of Wharf-st., Sydney, Timber Merchant (No. 7557), a third account with second plan of distribution, showing payment in full of one preferential debt for wages (£80), and an equalising dividend of 2s (two shillings) in the £ on nine debts proved since first dividend was declared, and a second dividend of 7¼d (seven pence one farthing) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

SOLOMON DAVIS, of Pitt-street, Sydney, Clothing Manufacturer (No. 8725), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment in full of five proved preferential debts for rent and wages (£20 3s 9d), and a balance of £158 2s 1d carried forward.

ELIAS KURY, known as Charles Williams, of Quirindi, Storekeeper (9800), a first account and plan of distribution, showing payment in full of two proved preferential debts for rent and wages (£3 2s 8d), and a dividend of 4s 1¼d (four shillings and one penny one farthing in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

CHARLES WILKINSON BROMILOW, of Orange, Brewer (No. 10,108), a first account and plan of distribution, showing payment in full of four proved preferential debts for rent and wages (£40 13s) and a dividend of 2s 11-16d (two shillings and eleven-sixteenths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

WALTER GEORGE WATSON, deceased, late of Gerogery Station, Gerogery, near Albury (No. 9818), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment in full of four proved preferential debts for wages (£29 11s 4d) and a balance of £340 12s carried forward.

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CHARLES HENRY ALBERT, of George-street, Haymarket, Sydney (No. 10,086), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment of a dividend of 11s 1 5-16d (eleven shillings and one penny and five-sixteenths of a penny) in the £ on one proved preferential debt for rent (£66).

CHARLES M'KEOWN, of Forbes (No. 9394), a second account only showing payment of the charges.

Also, Accounts only in the undermentioned Estates, showing their balances:—

ADOLPH EDWARD WIEBE, of West Maitland (No. 10,078).
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89 Elizabeth-street, Sydney,
14th October, 1895.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Probate Jurisdiction.

In the Will of WILLIAM COOK MITCHELL, formerly of Liverpool, but lately of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gardener, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALFRED CONSETT STEPHEN, one of the Executors named in the said Will, leave being reserved to SEPTIMUS ALFRED STEPHEN, the other Executor in the said Will named, to come in and prove.

ALFRED EDMUND JAQUES,
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of SOLOMON EMANUEL, late of the Australia Hotel, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Codicil of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to NATHANIEL EMANUEL, of Tumut, in the said colony, Solicitor, DAVID MOSS MYERS, of Sydney aforesaid, Solicitor, and ABRAHAM HORT EMANUEL, of Parramatta, near Sydney aforesaid, Brewer, the Executors named in the said Will. Dated this 18th day of October, A.D. 1895. EMANUEL and FRASER, Proctors for the Executors, Tumut. By their Agent, DAVID M. MYERS, 28 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of CATHERINE M'KILLOP, late of Balmain, in the colony of New South Wales, Spinster, deceased intestate.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to DUNCAN M'KILLOP, a brother of the said deceased. Dated this eighteenth day of October, A.D. 1895. JOHN STUART THOM, Proctor for the Applicant, Athenæum-chambers, 11 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM BAKER, late of Glen Alice, in the colony of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALFRED BAKER (in the said Will wrongly called ALFRED JOHN BAKER), of Cobar, the sole Executor named in the said Will. CHARLES DEVENISH MEARES, Proctor for the Executor, Mudgee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of DANIEL RYAN, late of Tatalia, in the colony of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ANTON HOLSCHIER, of Tatalia aforesaid, Farmer, the Sole Executor named in and appointed by the said Will. E. J. LAMAN, Proctor for the said Executor, Deniliquin. By VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, his Agents, 30 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HENRY BOURKE, late of Strawberry Hills, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Produce Dealer, deceased, intestate.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE HENEY BRYANT and THOMAS HENRY DENT, Creditors of the said deceased. SLY and RUSSELL, Proctors for the said Creditors, 379½ George-street, Sydney.

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Dated this sixteenth day of October, 1895.
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Witness: C. E. BYRNES, Solicitor, &c., Parramatta.

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

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Dated at Sydney this 18th day of October, 1895.
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Witness, D. W. ROXBURGH,
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THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, THOMAS TATE and JOHN THOMAS LAWLER, in the business carried on by us at 1 Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, has been DISSOLVED this day by mutual consent, and the business will henceforth be carried on under the name of TATE and LAWLER by the said JOHN THOMAS LAWLER alone, who will pay all debts and liabilities and receive all money payable to the late firm. Dated this 18th day of October, 1895. THOMAS TATE, J. T. LAWLER. Witness, GEO. F. WILD, 1 Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

WE, the undersigned, of 161A Glebe-road, have this day, by mutual consent, DISSOLVED PARTNERSHIP. All liabilities will be met by HARRY HOSKINS, who will continue to carry on the business. Dated this 18th day of October, 1895.
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CURRENT LITERATURE.

The Man from Snowy River, and other Verses. By A. B. Paterson. Sydney: Angus and Robertson. 1895.

The thought of Mr. Kipling's "Barrack-Room Ballads" is inevitable when one sees the form in which Mr. Paterson's collection appears. The likeness extends from binding, rough-edged paper, and print to the verse. The critic in Sheridan could not be mistaken that he had somewhere before heard something like "Perdition catch my soul, but I do love thee," and so "Now this is the law of the Overland that all in the west obey" has an unmistakable parentage. And this in the "Prelude," does it not run like Kipling:—

I have gathered these stories afar
In the wind and the rain—
In the land where the cattle camps are,
On the edge of the plain,
On the overland routes of the west,
When the watches were long,
I have fashioned in earnest and jest
These fragments of song.

But, after all, Kipling's is not the formative influence; that comes from a source which every Australian poet must feel, from Gordon. *Equum virumque canit.* Mr. Paterson adds no new note to his master's; they share the same love of the horse, the same delight in personal prowess, the same melancholy or morbid retrospection, and the same jingle of rhyme and rhythm. Rolf Boldrewood in an appreciation prefixed to the volume defines the collection as "the best bush ballads written since the death of Lindsay Gordon." That is quite just. They are bush ballads, meaning by ballad the modern poem, and at their best they are the best done for many a year. Every author is beset with the pains of choice, and few persons ever agree about the merit of a poem until time settles the question for them. So one feels disinclined to exclude, but still Mr. Paterson's collection would be the better if it had included less. In poetry the part is greater than the whole. Some think it argues a thin talent to produce a thin book; but better say a little perfectly than much indifferently. However, Mr. Paterson could well afford to spare his uninspired verses. What would remain when the feebler Gordonism had been obliterated and the humoresque poems curtailed would make a reputation such as any man might care to have. The cycle of the country is here with such vigour, such freshness and tenderness, as will be best appreciated by countrymen, but happily not by them alone, for these things are common elements of all true poetry. In poems such as "The Travelling Post-office," "Clancy of the Overflow," "On Kiley's Run," "Black Swans," "In the Droving Days," "A Bushman's Song," "The Wind's Message," "The Daylight is Dying," and a few others, one finds the authentic transcript of the moods of inland Australia, the life of her people, and sometimes in their own words. Picture after picture rises in the backblocker's mind at touches like these:—

The roving breezes come and go, the reed-beds sweep and away,
The sleepy river murmurs low and loiters on its way;
It is the land of lots o' time along the Castlereagh.

Out there they would have said "whips o' time;" but that is a detail. And here is a fine verse, though it repeats the last one Homerically:—

The roving breezes come and go
On Kiley's run;
The sleepy river murmurs low;
And far away one dimly sees
Beyond the stretch of forest trees—
Beyond the foothills dusk and dun—
The ranges sleeping in the sun
On Kiley's run.

Perhaps Sydney Jephcott has done more justice to the magnificent passage of swans, but there are some verses in Mr. Paterson's poem very admirable and musical. Great part of the book in which the country life is enshrined, its romance, its pathos, its humour, is of a quality exceptionally high, and of the mountain and the plain, from Monaro right away to the Castlereagh, Mr. Paterson is henceforth our Bret Harte. The humour of the book does not lend itself so readily to short quotation; but Mr. Paterson would not deserve to be named with the poet of the Sierras if he did not possess this indispensable element. "Those Names," "The Great Calamity," and passages from several other poems contain this saving grace. In the first poem there is one of the few typographical slips in the book. Eunonyhareenyha is meant. Also, in "How M'Ginnis went Missing," one finds Mr. Paterson giving Tallangatta a wrong accent. Defective rhymes and halting metres may be found in the poems, and there is that section of the verse which could be wished away. In regard to the remainder it will have been seen that Mr. Paterson does not deal with the great subjects of poetry. That and the strong local colour, while they make a deeper appeal to us Australians, lessen the claim of the book to rank high in literature. But Mr. Paterson will probably hold, like that old Greek quoted by Jowett, that provided he makes the songs of the people he is content. Certainly no such distinctive verse has appeared among us for years; and sure as the book is of cordial welcome throughout the colonies it will be an especial pride to the people of New South Wales that they have produced at last a man capable of discerning and expressing the poetry of Australian life.

Australian Grasses (with illustrations). By Fred. Turner, F.L.S., F.R.H.S., &c. Vol. I. Sydney: Charles Potter, Government Printer, 1895.

It is satisfactory to find that in the midst of the strife and turmoil of political life the Minister for Mines has been able to keep his eye upon one of the best interests of the colony; in fact we may say the very best, for if Australia did not produce the very best of grasses it would be impossible for her to produce the very best of wool, and if she could not do that to an almost unlimited extent the foundation of her wealth would be destroyed, and her hitherto unexampled prosperity would meet with a check, the consequences of which it is impossible to foresee. The reputation which Mr. Turner has earned in connection with grasses and other forage plants gives an importance to the work now published which it is impossible to over-estimate. Since the appearance of his numerous writings a large amount of attention has been attracted to the subjects dealt with, not only in the Australian colonies, but in England and the rest of Europe, the United States of America, South Africa, and even India, and seed merchants have been pestered with orders for seeds of grasses and saltbushes which it was quite out of their power to supply. We learn from the preface that during the last 20 years the author has travelled over 30,000 miles in New South Wales, Queensland, and Victoria, some of the time consumed having been devoted to botanical excursions and some to inspecting and reporting on the capabilities of Crown lands and the best way of utilising them, and that he has made experiments in the growing of upwards of 100 species of Australian grasses. The interest excited by the publication from time to time of analytical drawings and descriptions of the various species delineated, with particulars of their economic value, mode of cultivation, &c., will probably cause the book now published to be sought after and studied, not only by agriculturists and graziers, but by scientists, whose appreciation of Mr. Turner's work has been shown by their reception of his "Indigenous Forage Plants of Australia." The importance of a thoroughly reliable work on the grasses of Australia will be readily understood when we consider that the value of the wool shorn in 1892 was computed at little less than £18,000,000, while the whole of the gold, silver, coal, and copper only reached a little over £10,000,000, and in the same year the number of sheep was estimated at over 100,000,000 and cattle over 11,000,000, the pastoral property being in 1893 estimated at the value of upwards of £200,000,000.

In the introduction the author discusses the questions of overstocking and the damage done to pastures by that practice and by rabbits, the spreading of noxious grasses and of exotic weeds (most of them injurious), supposed poisonous plants (many of which he considers derive their bad reputation from fungoid growths), the effect of burning off pasture and of ringbarking timber, the folly of introducing foreign grass and forage plants of comparatively small or no value, instead of protecting and encouraging the growth of indigenous plants of known value; and he furnishes his readers with lists of grasses worthy of cultivation, and advises them as to the best methods of treating and turning to advantage indigenous forage plants. A portion of the book is devoted to remarks and advice on the pastures of the Illawarra, New England, and Camden districts (treated separately) which may be studied with advantage by farmers in those districts. What will probably be considered by many to be the most interesting part of the book contains full descriptions of 51 grasses, with a large amount of valuable information in each case, and with such good illustrations of each plant and analytical drawings of the fructification as, with the assistance of the glossary of botanical terms (and if convenient of a small microscope), will enable any person of ordinary intelligence to identify any species treated of. The want of a reliable work on Australian grasses has been much felt for some considerable time, and all persons interested in squatting pursuits must feel gratified at the wise determination of the Minister for Mines to endeavour to assist them, and, for that purpose, to select a man who appears to have given so much thought and study to a subject which most other botanists have either neglected or carefully avoided on account of its seeming difficulty and uninteresting nature. The value of the service rendered by Mr. Turner can hardly be overrated, and one of its first effects will probably be, that persons who have been vainly attempting to introduce worthless forage plants, which cannot possibly succeed, will abandon this practice and give their attention to the preservation and cultivation of the native plants, which have stood the test of a century and have been proved to have had so a beneficial an effect on our wool and on our sheep, cattle, and horse stock. If it could be arranged that Mr. Turner should be allowed a sufficient area in our Botanical Gardens for the purpose of continuing his interesting experiments in connection with the cultivation of grasses, the country would soon be supplied with reliable data by which to estimate the value of the grasses treated, and it cannot be doubted that the comparatively small expense thus incurred would be repaid to the country a thousandfold.

Messrs. George Robertson and Co. send us, from Messrs. Ward, Lock, and Bowden, the first of their pretty Nautilus Series. Miss Ethel Turner, whose name is agreeably fresh in reading people's memories by her recent book "Seven Little Australians," is the author of *The Story of a Baby*. It is the story of a baby's parents as well, and a troubled tale is that. It was a love-match. Madame is 18, and a spoiled darling; Monsieur is a few years older, and has ideas on the training of wives. That there will be excursions and alarms in such a household is a thing beyond peradventure. Here is where the baby seems to have the worst of it. That small personage gets involved in all his parents' misunderstandings from the first chapter even unto the last, and, the provocation considered, his behaviour is angelic. Miss Turner in this part of her book, as in the "Seven Little Australians," displays a delightful sympathy and understanding. Her little people have a caressing charm without losing the tricky ways by which to prove that they are humans. However, a book that had only a baby for its subject would be afflicting, and the relations of Mr. Armitage and his wife are the chief thing. They quarrel a good deal, with reconciliations to keep up the interest. And here is where Miss Turner shows her art,—that the reader likes the two, sees their kindlier impulses, and admits that circumstances, not ungracious natures, account for their behaviour. The drawback of a study such as this is that it must lead to catastrophe. Temperaments like these yield only to adversity. A sure sense of artistic values teaches the author when the bickering must precipitate a crisis, and this is so contrived that both parties are somehow excusable, and the true character of each comes out. What the issue is it would not be fair to tell. But though small in compass the proportions of the story are true, and Miss Turner is to be complimented again upon a performance which will increase her circle of admirers and place her name distinctly among those of the writers who with talent and pure intent are giving us a literature. A dozen, a score, of little felicities might be selected from this booklet of 160 pages, but the best counsel is to get it and read it, and trust that the writer of it has even better work yet to be revealed. The scene is laid in North Sydney.

The new additions to Macmillan's Colonial Library are Mr. Arthur Amyand's *Comrades in Arms* and Miss Helen Mathers' *The Lovely Malincourt. Place aux dames.* Lesley, daughter of Lord Malincourt, is brought up in seclusion and eccentricity in the country where she enjoys the counsel of a lady (with a past), now, happily for society, a chronic invalid. The result is a young woman who turns the heads of all eligible males and many ineligibles, and presently catastrophes accumulate. Lady Appuldurcombe finds herself upset by her niece. Ronny Kilmurry, an Ouidaesque person, the finest gentleman rider in the universe, and a soldier of renown in Africa—services left to the imagination—is embroiled with a bad baronet, and they fight a duel, out of which—but why recapitulate? It ends as all such romances do. The women of Miss Mathers are not improbable, but her men excite astonishment mingled with derision. Mr. Amyand finds the material for his military novel in a troop of cavalry, and the plot, too complex for summary, is pretext for abundant local colour, mainly red coat and khakee, for the scene changes from England to the Soudan, which affords Mr. Amyand opportunity to write a paragraph about the Australian contingent, and he lets "ours" down with abundant praise for everything but their discipline. The third section of the novel contains the fighting with Fuzzy-wuzzy, and very tolerable bloodthirsty reading it is, though to be sure Mr. Rudyard Kipling has got it all and more also in those few pages of verse where Atkins makes a banjo-song of the Hadendowas. It is not a performance of great merit; but probably for the sake of the adventure and the militaresque element it will be read by numbers who would pass by a better constructed novel.

The Salt of the Earth is the name of Mr. Philip Lafargue's new volume of sketches and stories included in Macmillan's Colonial Library, which is sent us by Messrs. George Robertson and Co. Mr. Lafargue has the conscientiousness to say in his preface that "Dr. Nordau" would class all his folk as degenerates, and if one were in a mood of severity the judgment might be approved. Two of the opening things have part of their action in Sydney, and we learn divers novelties about this city,—as that men here take off their hats to one another, also that prominent politicians when they sit around Lady Macquarie's Chair and unbosom themselves awe the desperate larrikin by toying with revolvers; further that at Coogee if you stop to pluck a sundew, whatever that may be, green snakes will rustle away in the grass. "Donald Wishart" is not to be disposed of by these painful notes of local colour. It has the merit of handling an interesting personality, and there may be some few to think that the portrait had an original not unknown here. "Out of the Land of Egypt" is a pathetic little story, and the sardonic touch of the "Music Master's Yarn" is strongly contrasting. "Time's Revenge" is a clever treatment of a sentence in Emerson about the poet's *gran rifiuto*. The volume is one of not high but various merit.

It is the principle of the agreeable reprint of the English Men of Letters Series to collect as far as possible men of one literary group. Accordingly, in the new volume we have three of the greatest English novelists—Henry Fielding, William Makepeace Thackeray, and Charles Dickens. The life of Fielding is written, as readers of the first edition of the series will remember, by the very competent hand of Austin Dobson, an eighteenth-century man by titles manifold. Anthony Trollope wrote of Thackeray a monograph of equal charm and authority, and Mr. A. W. Ward is the author of the Life of Dickens. It is a happy series, and welcome in this cheap and permanent edition.

Many prophets, and kings even, have sought to explain hard times, and Mr. Uriel H. Crocker, of Boston, Mass., is the latest to unbosom himself concerning these depressing visitations. *The Cause of Hard Times* is the name of his book, and though the unassisted layman must beware of adventuring himself into the regions of political economists, who are all Ishmaels more or less, but given to sudden combinations for the discomfiture of such as stray into their inhospitable deserts, it seems that Mr. Crocker's gospel is that there would be no hard times if we spent all our earnings, instead of covetously laying up the same for high interest, and calling this flagitiousness thrift. Mr. Crocker does not indeed go all the length of this pretty conceit, for like a good New Englander he reserves a wintry benediction for moderate saving; but he has a chary way with him, and evidently holds that we should be much happier all round if we had no appetite for dividend-paying stock. It will take some while to convert the world to that way of thinking, and now that hard times seem to be giving way to better times, we shall see, no doubt, a little more earning and spending, which have a way of going together. Messrs. Sampson Low, Marston, and Co., are the publishers.

Two new volumes of the Acme Library, published by A. Constable and Co., are Mrs. Walford's *A Bubble*, and the Marquis of Lorne's *From Shadow to Sunlight*. Mrs. Walford is now a deservedly well-known writer, and the author of "Mr. Smith" may be trusted to do herself credit. The story of *A Bubble* is the aspiration and the disappointment of a brilliant young Edinburgh student. Andrew Dircom meets a lady at an entertainment given by his professor to the class, which Miss Mauleverer attends out of ennui. It is serious for him, and when Clara decides upon Lord Havering, Andrew dies of consumption. Except for this exaggerated concession to the "unhappy ending," the little composition is well studied and satisfactory, and the story really moves freely without digression to its appointed issue. Lord Lorne's book contains a good deal that is clever and agreeable; but these merits are frustrated by lack of the instinct to tell a story. A young Scottish gentleman of much possessions, romantic appearance, and lightning changes of belief, captivates an American heiress. It is almost an Odyssey to bring the two together. The lady from the States has to tour in Scotland, to be saved from a fire in the Chinese quarter of San Francisco, and to be wooed in British Columbia. All this provides Lord Lorne with much opportunity for digressing into the picturesqueness of the West Coast of Scotland, the quality of the Chinese theatre, and the loyalty of Canadians and the majesty of their Dominion. The hero had reconciled himself to Rome and been admitted a father of the Company of Jesus, when an attempt to work upon the nature of a rich lad, his pupil, revolted him, and he recanted his vows and became an eligible again. All this roundabout takes from the lifelikeness of the story, and besides, no sympathy is evoked. The style is not good. Cleopatra sails the Nile in a "Dia Byah;" ordinary people write dahabieh. Mary Wincott "would let the starlight of her great blue eyes illumine her perfectly moulded and happy countenance." But one finds few passages as poor as that.

Messrs. Macmillan and Co. publish in their Standard Illustrated Novels Captain Marryat's *Jacob Faithful*. Mr. David Hannay writes an introduction, and Mr. H. M. Brock is the artist. Many readers will be heartily pleased to see this excellent old book so handsomely republished. Marryat's tales of the Royal Navy are known to most people, but this novel of the Thames-side and the barge life of many years ago—ages ago it seems—before steam, has many admirers. It is true, the first chapter contains a frightful episode, which Dickens also in "Bleak House" and Zola in "Dr. Pascal" have used, without reconciling the public taste to such horrors as ought to be reserved for medical treatises. But this painful chapter past, the rest of the book is as good as good can be, full of life, of variety, of genial observation, and of true feeling. Mr. Brock's pictures deserve all commendation; indeed, the drawings in this series are worthy of the good books and of the liberal publishers.

In theology is published Mr. Illingworth's series of lectures, *Personality, Human and Divine*, being the Bampton Lectures for 1894 (Macmillan and Co.). The lecturer's position is "that whereas physical science has nowise weakened, critical philosophy has distinctly strengthened, the claim—the immemorial claim—of human personality to be a spiritual thing; and, as such, the highest category under which we can conceive of God. And as this conception would lead us to expect a progressive revelation, the evidence of such a revelation is briefly traced, and its culmination in the Incarnation vindicated." Messrs. Hodder and Stoughton publish in the "Expositor's Bible" Professor Bennett's study of the Book of Jeremiah, xxi.-lii. The importance of the subject appears from the close of the introduction, where Professor Bennett says:—"Humanly speaking, the religious future of the world depended upon this stern solitary prophet." The difference in tone of religious criticism in our time is distinct in this volume. Who would have conceived an exegetical treatise on one of the greater prophets closing with the words of Renan in his own French, or the theme illustrated from Browning and Shakespeare?

Mr. Charles A. Dana, an American journalist, publishes through Mr. Fisher Unwin, in England, three lectures on *The Art of Newspaper Making*, delivered to American audiences. These little addresses will be found to contain much matter, and one is glad to find Mr. Dana abstaining from the apologetic style.

An addition to an already numerous series is made by Professor Ransome's *Advanced History of England*, down to 1894, published by Rivington, Percival, and Co. It is not a mouthful, this book of more than a thousand pages of fine type; but the ample space enables the writer to do something more than baldly summarise the national history. It seems a clear and candid work, such as should be helpful to students in advanced classes.

The 77th volume of the valuable International Scientific Series of Messrs. Kegan Paul, Trench, Trubner, and Co., is the Rev. George Henslow's *Origin of Plant Structures by Self-adaptation to the Environment*. It is not intended as a popular book, for the writer sets before himself the task of continuing in the case of vegetative structures the demonstration begun in the examination of flowers, namely, that "the direct action of the environment in its widest sense, coupled with the responsive power of protoplasm—in other words, the two well-recognised factors of evolution—are the sole and efficient causes of adaptive variations in plants." The object is to show that natural selection is not wanted at all.

A GEM WORTH POLISHING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—On the southern shore of the entrance to Botany Bay, near the monument to mark the landing-place of Captain Cook, there still exists a highly historical memorial, which seems to be comparatively little known, and I think a description of which cannot fail to be of interest to a large number of your readers. It is a brass tablet, blackened with age, let in the face of a rather high cliff, and now only to be read by climbing down with a rope from above. A few days since some friends and myself, hearing of this relic from some local fishermen, who refer to it as "the plate," sailed to this historic spot, and, with the aid of a new rope, completed the "honourably dangerous enterprise" of reading the now almost indecipherable inscription thereon, and here it is. The heroic style is delightful:—

A.D. MDCCLXX.
Under the auspices of British Science,
these shores were discovered
by
James Cook and Joseph Banks,
the Columbus and Mecenas
of their time.
This spot once saw them
ardent in the pursuit of knowledge.
now
to their memory,
this tablet is inscribed in the first year
of
the Philosophical Society of Australasia.
Sir Thomas Brisbane, K.C.B., F.R.S.L. and E.,
corresponding member of the Institute of France,
President.
A.D. MDCCCXXI.

I don't know whether the Philosophical Society of Australasia, founded, according to this relic, in 1821, with Sir Thomas Brisbane as president, has still an existence as such; if so, why has this gem been so sadly neglected by them? There is a tradition among the fishermen that a man (a kind of stipendiary "Old Mortality") was employed in times gone by "to clean it up;" but the evidence of its present condition seems to point to the fact that when it received its last "cleaning" must have been a very remote period, for the "salt-sea breezes" have wrought sad havoc, and now the letters are all running into each other. If this record is worth preserving a little time longer, then it is clear that "something should be done." And, also, does it not seem a sad fact that this spot, also the first landing-place of the "First Fleet," should ever become private property? "Truly we are a nation of shopkeepers."

October 17. I am, &c., JOSEPH PYETT.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I desire, through the medium of your columns, to draw attention to the necessity for provision being made in the Public Service Bill now before Parliament for the proper recognition of the past services and just claims of many worthy officials recently retrenched from the service. It is beyond question that amongst these are some of the very best and most capable men, and who have lost their positions ostensibly on the score of retrenchment and reorganisation! It is a reflection on the Government that such should have been allowed on the eve of the passage into law of a new Act which, as it stands, will practically debar these men from re-engagement, and this, too, in face of a distinct promise by the Government that their claims to reappointment in any branch of the service should receive first consideration.

It is therefore asked, as a matter of justice, that the new board be empowered, on taking office, to deal with these men, and to compare their records, qualifications, and services with those retained, and to reinstate in office where, in the unbiassed opinion of the board, the circumstances may justify.

October 15. I am, &c., PROTEGE.

WAUGH'S BAKING POWDER obtained the only first-class award of highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

LITERARY GOSSIP.

In an interesting series of articles recently contributed to the *Times* on "The Profession of Literature in America," the writer speaks of the causes that lead to the popularity of a book in the United States. It appears that the American publishing houses must have a book "boomed" in London before it has any chance of a big success with them. Certainly Du Maurier's "Trilby" was not a case in point, for it appeared in single volume form in America before it came out thus in London. But this book's phenomenal run was exceptional, and with the ordinary class of books the rule holds that they must receive the stamp of critical London before hoping for any great success in America. In the past Australia has closely followed the example of America, and required that a book should have a vogue in London before it was accepted, and Australian writers have made it almost a rule to publish their works in England instead of in the colonies. Of course there was much to be said for writers taking this course, for besides putting their literary wares before the finest market, there was also the fact to be considered that Australian publications lacked greatly that finish in binding and printing that adds so much to the attractiveness of a book. Now that is different, and enterprising Australian publishers are turning out most creditable work. This fact and the growth of colonial reading classes are leading to more original work being published locally. Recent instances are Miss Jennings Carmichael's book of poems that is being issued by Messrs. Melville, Mullens, and Slade; Mr. Louis Becke's "His Native Wife," published by Mr. A. Lindsay; and Mr. A. B. Paterson's "The Man from Snowy River," by Messrs. Angus and Robertson. This last book promises to mark a successful era in the history of local publishing, for the first edition has been taken up before it has even been published, and a second edition has had to be begun. The first edition consists of 1250 copies, of which 500 will be shipped to London, leaving 750 available for Australian requirements, a number at once covered by orders received. These figures show that there is an Australian market for good verse with local colour.

Regret has been felt by many that Marcus Clarke's selected works are out of print, and the hope expressed that immediate steps would be taken to remedy this state of things. It is welcome news that a cheap edition of the writings of this favourite Australian novelist will shortly be brought out by his widow.

Professor Max Muller is preparing for publication in October a new edition of his "Chips from a German Workshop," fourth and concluding volume (Longmans), containing essays on mythology and folk-lore; a new edition of the fourth volume of his Gifford lectures on "Theosophy or Psychological Religion" (Longmans); Itsing's description of the state of Buddhism in India in the seventh century, translated from Chinese by J. Takakusu (Clarendon Press); and Arya Sûra's Gâtakamâlâ, translated by Professor Speyer, the first volume of the "Sacred Books of the Buddhists," published under the patronage of the King of Siam (H. Frowde).

Mr. Lloyd Osbourne, the stepson of Robert Louis Stevenson, has written for the October number of *Scribner* an article on "Mr. Stevenson's Home-Life at Vailima." It gives a full description of Stephenson's attitude toward the native chiefs of Samoa and the patriarchal life that he led among them. Mr. G. W. Smalley, for many years the London correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, and now special correspondent of the *Times* in the latter city, has written for the same magazine an appreciative paper on the late Professor Huxley.

Henry M. Stanley, M.P., has accepted the appointment of associate editor of Bishop William Taylor's monthly pictorial publication *Illustrated Africa*. It was during his brief recent visit to New York, en route to Canada, that Mr. Stanley became closely associated with Bishop Taylor in the present work.

Mr. R. H. Sherard has an article in the *Bookman* on Tennyson, and relates some personal reminiscences of his mother, who, as Miss Wordsworth, and with Mrs. (afterwards Lady) Taylor, visited the Laureate at a house in Twickenham 40 years ago. The poet, who did not appear till he was sent for, came into the room, we are told, "looking very gloomy, and only spoke in monosyllables. Mrs. Taylor rallied him on his moroseness. 'One would say, Mr. Tennyson,' she said, 'that you were not pleased to see us.' 'I don't think you would be pleased to see visitors,' cried Tennyson, 'if you hired the *Times* for an hour a day, and the visitors just came during that hour.'" Mr. Sherard adds that his father used to tell him that when he was a boy he once met Tennyson at a dinner party, and that he was very frightened at his appearance. "Tennyson was at that time very sallow—almost yellow—and had long black hair. At dessert the poet bent across the table and addressed my father, in front of whom he placed a dish of fruit, and said, 'Evolve me an apple.' I did not know what he wanted me to do,' said my father."

Mark Twain has made a public statement regarding his own position and the affairs of the publishing firm of Charles L. Webster and Co., in which he was the principal partner. "It has been reported," Mark Twain says, "that I sacrificed, for the benefit of the creditors, the property of the publishing firm whose financial backer I was, and that I am now lecturing for my own benefit. This is an error. I intend the lectures, as well as the property, for the creditors. The law recognises no mortgage on a man's brain, and a merchant who has given up all he has may take advantage of the rules of insolvency and start free again for himself; but I am not a business man, and honour is a harder master than the law. It cannot compromise for less than 100 cents on the dollar, and its debts never outlaw." The largest single creditor of the firm is his wife, but she has taken nothing except retained control of the copyright of her husband's books. "The situation," Mark Twain explains, "is that the wreckage of the firm, together with what money I can scrape together with my wife's aid, will enable me to pay the other creditors about 50 per cent. of their claims. It is my intention to ask them to accept that as a legal discharge, and trust to my honour to pay the other 50 per cent. as fast as I can earn it." From his reception thus far on his lecturing tour, the genial humourist adds, he is confident that, if he lives, he can pay off the last debt within four years, after which, at the age of 64, he can make a fresh and unencumbered start in life.

Mr. Thomas Hardy has written a preface for the reissue of his novel "The Return of the Native," in the collected edition. "Budmouth," he tells us, is an old watering place which had a Georgian gaiety and retained a long after-glow of it. "Egdon Heath" is meant to typify and unite various heaths of real names which originally were one. "It is pleasant to dream," says Mr. Hardy, "that some spot in the extensive tract whose south-western quarter is here described, may be the heath of that traditionary King of Wessex, Lear."

Messrs. Hodder and Stoughton have in the press a history of the University of Aberdeen, by Mr. John Malcolm Bulloch, a distinguished graduate of the University. He writes this work *apropos* of the four hundredth anniversary of its foundation.

The edition of Burns's poems which Mr. Andrew Lang is editing will be issued by Messrs. Methuen. The volume will have notes on the text, a critical and biographical introduction, and a glossary. Notes, appendices, and maps will be a feature of a new edition of Gibbon's "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," which Mr. J. B. Bury is to edit for the same firm.

One of the books of travel promised for the autumn will be by the Earl of Cavan. The title is "With the Yacht, Camera, and Cycle in the Mediterranean." Lord Cavan has written of the Mediterranean for the benefit of the yachtsman and navigator, and puts the results of his own experiences at the disposal of cyclists who may wish to try the shores of the Mediterranean.

Messrs. Methuen are preparing groups of novels for publication in single-volume form. They include Mr. Gilbert Parker's "An Adventure of the North," Anthony Hope's "Chronicles of Count Antonio," and Mrs. Clifford's "A Flash of Summer." Mr. Baring-Gould has written a romance of Old France entitled "Noemi," Mr. Manville Fenn a story which he names "An Electric Spark," and Mr. J. Maclaren Cobban another adventure tale "The King of Andaman." Miss Marie Corelli, Mr. H. G. Wells, Mr. Phillips Woolley, Mary Gaunt, and "Evan Angus Abbott" also promise stories.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

Our London correspondent writes under date 13th September:—"The Royalty Theatre—that very comfortable little house in Soho—is among the latest to reopen. The internal arrangements show how thoroughly our managers have awakened to the necessity of making the auditorium pleasant, as well as the play attractive. It is quite a treat to spend an evening in a house decorated and upholstered with so much genuine taste. The piece which has been given to begin with is not, it is true, likely to set the Thames on fire. It is an adaptation of a rather risky farce from the French, which was called "M. Le Directeur" in the original, but which appears in the subdued English version as "The Chili Widow." A good deal of it, however, is bright and amusing, and it certainly pleased the audience. We are now waiting rather anxiously for the reappearance of Mr. Beerbohm Tree at the Haymarket — an event which is some weeks off at present. The much-talked-off "Trilby" has, however, been produced at Manchester, and has succeeded well in that most critical of all our provincial towns. It is in substance the American version, but it has been considerably altered by Mr. Tree—not altogether, it is said, to the satisfaction of the original dramatiser, who himself took a good many liberties with Mr. Du Maurier's book. But Mr. Tree was bent on making an opportunity for himself of creating a new rôle, and it is said that his impersonation of Svengali—who becomes the most important character in the piece—will rank with his best efforts. It is not so clear indeed that the triumph was not a personal one for Mr. Tree, rather than one for the piece itself. But we must wait till it has run the gauntlet in London in November."

Sydney opera-goers bade farewell to a well-tried and popular prima donna at the Lyceum on Thursday afternoon, for no singer who has visited Australia has essayed a greater number of grand opera rôles with the same complete and long-continued success. Miss Annis Montague, whose career was broken by the untimely death of her husband, Mr. Charles Turner, sails towards the end of next month for Honolulu, where her mother, Mrs. Cooke, still flourishes at the age of 85, and where too she has other relatives. Miss Montague comes, indeed, of a musical family. Her grandmother, Mrs. Montague, who died at Baltimore at the great age of 94, was a fine singer, and Mrs. Cooke, who was known throughout the Hawaiian islands as "The Singing Missionary," retained her beautiful voice so many years that at the age of 68 she sang a roulade, closing in a trill with so much brilliancy that Mr. Charles Turner mistook the voice for that of his wife. Born in an atmosphere of music, it is not surprising that early in her teens Miss Montague left Honolulu to study singing at Paris. Her first master there was Wartell, the great tenor who taught both Christine Nilsson and Trebelli-Bettini, and her second teacher was Bellari, a famous Spanish tenor from Madrid. Her début was at a concert given by the latter at the Rossini Theatre, Paris, as the outcome of her success at which Victor Massé—whose opera, "Paul and Virginia," she was destined to introduce in Australia—gave her free admission to all the Sunday concerts at the Conservatoire. This was in 1874, when Miss Montague was awarded the prize at a great public competition for the most perfect execution and trill, the certificate accompanying which was signed by Charles Gounod, Ambroise Thomas, Carvalho, Halanzier, Begier, and Vianesi—the last-named being the since famous conductor of Covent Garden Opera. After this Miss Montague made her professional début at Booth's Theatre, New York, appearing in the high soprano rôle of the Queen in "Les Huguenots," with Marie Roze as Valentine. Miss Montague sang in Italian opera for two years (1875-6), one of her best parts being that of Filina in "Mignon," and she made a great success as Lucia, with Joseph Maas, the young English tenor who would have rivalled Sims Reeves had he lived, as Edgardo. In 1878 Miss Montague entered upon a long engagement with the Hesse-Kellogg American Opera Company, the foremost operatic combination in the States. It was then that the prima donna began to sing dramatic rôles as well as the florid light soprano characters in which she had first made her name. In 1880 the soprano returned to her mother's house at Honolulu for her marriage with Mr. Charles Turner, who followed her there from America. The pair then paid their first visit to Australia, and founded the Montague-Turner Opera Company, which afterwards endured for so many years. Their début was at the Sydney Gaiety Theatre, with a cast which included Mr. Edward Farley as baritone, Miss Lambert as contralto, and Mr. Gordon as bass. M. Léon Caron conducted this season, which lasted two months, and during which, to crowded houses, "Maritana" and "Bohemian Girl" each ran three weeks. The tenor and the soprano sang together every night for four years with hardly a break, and early in 1885 they returned to New York and filled important engagements with Madame Thurber's famous opera company. With this company the pair appeared as Elsa and Lohengrin in New York, Boston, and Chicago—characters they never performed in this country. Mr. Charles Turner at this time sang for three months with the Theodore Thomas orchestra, and, after a long residence in America and in England, both artists returned to Australia, arriving in March, 1890. After singing together throughout the Hallé-Néruda concerts of that season they resumed their operatic and oratorio engagements, until the regretted death of Mr. Turner at Auckland in July last year. Australians will always retain a feeling of warm friendship for Mrs. Charles Turner; but her retirement from the Australian stage will bring with it the knowledge that she is returning to her Hawaiian home for rest and quiet, after an unusually arduous career.

Possibly encouraged by the success of Signor Lardelli in the production of his comic opera "Katharine," Herr Hugo Alpen has now completed a romantic three-act piece entitled "Eldorado." Mr. C. W. Chiplin is the author of the libretto, which opens the story with a vintage scene on the Upper Rhine. The opera has to do with the loves of Harold and Dora. The disturbing element necessary in such cases is provided by the girl's father, Carl, who, having forged Harold's name and allowed the papers to fall into the hands of old Max, a neighbouring vinter, wishes to save himself by marrying the girl to Harold's aged rival. The forged bills have yet a year to run, however, and Harold accordingly sets sail for Australia, "strikes it rich" at Hill End, and returns in time to marry his lady-love at the last. Herr Alpen, who has issued invitations for the production of his work at the Guild Hall, has formed a large orchestra and chorus, and has distributed the chief characters as follows:—Dora (soprano), Miss Milly Wynne; Harold (tenor), Mr. J. Thompson Brown; Carl, Mr. T. H. Rainford. Mrs. Riley and Mr. Clancy appear in the mezzo-soprano and baritone rôles.

On Friday, 30th August, the Right Hon. Viscount Cantelupe gave a grand concert at Bexhill, Sussex, at which more than half the artists were Australians. Mr. John Lemmone, the eminent flautist, directed the concert, at which Miss Amy Sherwin was the soprano, Miss Ada Crossley the contralto, Mr. Henry Stockwell—who since he left Sydney has appeared at the London Ballad and Promenade Concerts—the tenor, and Mr. George Clutsam the pianist. The assisting artists not known in this part of the world were Mr. Douglas Powell (a baritone who will visit Australia with the Thudichum-Mackenzie Company next winter), Mr. Herbert Gordon (a bass, described as "from the Savoy Theatre"), and Master Jakoff Hambourg, the Russian violinist. Master Hambourg, who is the brother of Herr Mark Hambourg, is 13 years of age, and has studied under Wilhelmj.

The operatic stars are holiday-making. Madame Albani and the brothers De Reszké have been meeting Sir Augustus Harris at Mont Dore. Madame Melba has visited friends in the neighbourhood of Paris. Madame Sembrich has joined her relatives at Dresden. Madame Calvé, as great a lover of rustic life as Madame Christine Nilsson, is the owner of a farm at Aveynon, and will stay there until she comes to Paris for "La Navarraise." Signor Tamagno is in Italy, but goes to Germany for a musical tour in the middle of October. The sisters Ravogli are also in Italy. M. Alvarez has got back to work at the Paris Opera, where he performed last week in "Tannhauser." All these artists will appear at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, in November.

Mr. Charles Saunders, who resigned his post as tenor soloist at the Chapel Royal, Hampton Court Palace, through a fever, which obliged him to visit Australia, has had another attack of fever at Durban, Natal. However, a concert in his honour was recently organised by the Durban Savage Club; and though the Cornish tenor walked upon the platform leaning on a stick, the newspapers report that his voice fortunately had completely recovered its quality and power.

Considerable interest will be taken in the news that Mrs. J. R. Wood (Essie Jenyns) is to have her portrait painted in the character of Juliet. During this week Mrs. Wood visited the studio of Mr. J. S. Watkins, the talented young artist who returned from Paris early in the year, and was so pleased with what she saw that she arranged to give him sittings in the near future.

Mrs. Bernard Beere asked in a certain theatre the other day if the property-master had a bust of Shakespeare, and received the following reply: "No, Madame, I ain't got a bust of Shakespeare; but I 'ave a nice one of Sir Augustus Harris, and they will never know the difference from the front."

The London papers announce that Madame Lilian Medori Tree has been engaged by Mr. Hedmondt for his season of English opera at Covent Garden.

Mr. Philip Newbury and Miss Emily Spada, after touring North Queensland with their concert party, appeared at the Brisbane oratorio festival last month, and closed their season in the Northern capital with four ballad concerts at the Opera House and two matinée performances at the Exhibition-building. The Newbury-Spada Company arrived in Sydney yesterday, and sail to-day by the Tekapo for a four months' tour in New Zealand. Their first appearances will be in connection with the oratorio festival at Christchurch, opening on 4th November.

CHESS.

We are always happy to aid the good work of forming clubs. Secretaries are invited to furnish club news of general interest, correspondents the scores of unpublished games and original problems. These last should be accompanied by diagrams and full analysis.

PROBLEM No. 33.

BLACK (8 pieces).

WHITE (9 pieces).

White to mate in two moves.

Forsyth Notation (modified).—6 B, 1 *k*, *r*, 2 B, 1 *p*, 1 *b*, 1 R, 10 P, 5 *k p*, 4 *p*, 4 Q, 5 P, 3 N, *n* 4 N, K.

PROBLEM No. 30.—Further solutions from E.B. Henderson, W. F. Weeks.

PROBLEM No. 31, BY E. HALLIWELL. First Prize, *Bristol Mercury* supplement. Key move: R—B 6.

Correct solutions from—Bedivere, W. Langkop, E. W. (Bathurst), A. E. G., T. Collier, P. R. Meggy, J. W. Hillyer, A. Hackett, A. K. D., J. Waugh, A. L. Bros, Albury, W. J. Gibson, A. H. N., Clunes, E. J. West, W. F. Weeks, E. B. Henderson, C. Payne Scott, W. A. Elston, W. S. H., F. G. P., E. M. Fry, G. Corkhill, C. W. Rock, Alice M. S., Olive M. Bros, T. Speakman, W. James, Merylis, Grey, E. J. Stenning, Joker, D. R. M., E. H., Summer Hill, C. N. Kite, W. Parry, J. T. Dalgleish, R. K. Horne, E. H. Walker, Beatrice, J. A. Smith, Eureka, T. E. Clouston, O. C. (Petersham), E. White, W. M. K., F. N. Brierley, Amy, Jessie Dawson, Fergus, C. A. W., W. R. Bremner, J. H. Hodgson, P. M'Intyre, T. A. Dixon, W. H. Margrie, A. Forsyth, O'D., H. J. Aylward, F. W. Barker.

Correct solutions not above-mentioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will be acknowledged in our next issue.

NOTES.

Our second solution tourney, which resulted in some 900 solutions being submitted, at its conclusion left the following correspondents with the full score to their credit:—F. N. Brierley, A. P. Bros, Clunes, A. K. D., T. A. Dixon, T. F. (Parramatta), E. M. Fry, J. Harvey, W. James, D. R. M., C. Payne Scott, E. H. Walker. We congratulate them on their success, and have pleasure in presenting them with mementoes of their skill. We offer them the choice of the following books:—"Mortimer's Chess Openings," "Law's Two-Move Problem," and "Rayner's Chess Problems," and request them to advise us of their choice on a detached slip, with name and address. Neglect of this request on the former occasion occasioned some little delay. The following correspondents missed only one solution, and we wish them better fortune in the current tourney:—G. Corkhill, A. Hackett, Alice, M. S., W. A. Elston, A. E. G., E. W. (Bathurst), W. R. Bremner, C. N. Kite, T. Speakman, W. Parry, J. T. Dalgleish, O. C. (Petersham), J. W. Hillyer, W. J. Gibson, Fergus.

Lady solvers accepted our invitation in greater force than in the previous series, and we shall have much pleasure in presenting special prizes to Miss Alice, M. S., and Miss C. M. Jenkins, the leading scorers in this section, if they will inform us of their addresses.

Country Chess.—Queanbeyan v. Goulburn.—Below we give the result of the telegraphic games played on 10th instant, and trust shortly to chronicle the return match. The game at board 8 was referred to us for adjudication, and we had much pleasure in placing our services at the disposal of our friends.

Queanbeyan: Mr. Burn, 0; Mr. Cox, 1; Mr. Wilton, 1; Mr. Garraway, ½; Mr. Vincent, 1; Mr. Dunlop, 1; Mr. Cantle, ½; Mr. Skelton, ½. Total, 5½.

Goulburn: Mr. Astbury, 1; Mr. Wilton, 0; Mr. Lumsden, 0; Mr. Brooks, ½; Mr. Penn, 0; Mr. Thomas, 0; Mr. Townsend, ½; Mr. Russell, ½. Total, 2½.

New South Wales v. South Australia.—We are pleased to note that the two leading chess clubs in Sydney are working in harmony in the matter of the telegraphic match on 9th November. Messrs. Ridley, Foster, and Hirst have been appointed to represent the School of Arts on the selection committee, while Messrs. Wallace and Crane will act in a like capacity on behalf of the Sydney. We trust the outcome will be a team calculated to maintain our prestige.

The Hastings Congress.—We are indebted to the *Evening News* (Adelaide) for the following items of interest, being the list of prizewinners:—First prize, value £150, won by H. N. Pillsbury; second prize, £115, M. Tchigorin; third prize, £85, E. Lasker; fourth prize, £60, Dr. Tarrasch; fifth prize, £40, W. Steinitz; sixth prize, £30, E. Schiffers; seventh prize, £20, C. von Bardeleben and R. Teichmann. C. Schlechter won the special prize of £5 for the best score made against the prizewinners, and a gold ring and chessbook offered by Mr. J. Cooke to the winner of the most Evans' Gambits was won by M. Tchigorin, who, it will be recollected, had also won the large photograph presented by Messrs. Bradshaw for the first score of seven wins.

FINAL SCORES.

Pillsbury, America	16½	Burn, England	9½
Tchigorin, Russia	16	Janowski, France	9½
Lasker, England	15½	Mason, England	9½
Tarrasch, Germany	14	Bird, England	9
Steinitz, America	13	Gunsberg, England	9
Schiffers, Russia	12	Albin, America	8½
Bardeleben, Germany	11½	Marco, Austria	8½
Teichmann, England	11½	Pollock, Canada	8
Schlechter, Austria	11	Mieses, Germany	7½
Blackburne, England	10½	Tinsley, England	7½
Walbrodt, Germany	10	Vergani, Italy	3

The following were the prizetakers in the Ladies' Tournament:—In the major contest out of 12 entrants Lady Thomas, by very fine play, secured first prize. The three other prizetakers were the Misses Field, Foy, and Finn, all of London. In the minor tourney of eight entrants the winners were respectively Mrs. Ridpath (Hastings), Miss Dobell (Hastings), Mrs. Bowles (London), and Mrs. Nicholson (Hastings).

Chess Sans Voir.—We publish the score of a game played between Messrs. Crane and Wallace (sans voir) against Messrs. Linden and Bradley at the opening of the Sydney Chess Club.

Evans Gambit declined.

WHITE. Messrs. Crane and Wallace.	BLACK. Messrs. Linden and Bradley.
1. P to K 4	1. P to K 4
2. N to K B 3	2. N to Q B 3
3. B to B 4	3. B to B 4
4. P to Q N 4	4. B to N 3
5. Castles	5. N to K B 3
6. P to N 5	6. N to Q R 4
7. N takes P	7. N takes B
8. N takes N	8. Castles
9. P to Q 3	9. P to Q 3
10. B to N 5	10. B to K 3
11. N takes B	11. R P takes N
12. N to B 3	12. Q to K 2
13. P to K B 4	13. B to Q 2
14. N to Q 5	14. Q to Q's sq
15. Q to B 3	15. R to K's sq
16. Q to N 3	16. K to R's sq
17. Q to K R 4	17. R to K 3
18. P to K B 5	18. Resign.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Phileis, A. L. B., F. E. S., and A. J. M.: P takes R and knights. Joker: Results not yet published. E. H.: Your nom de plume already taken by another correspondent. We publish your initials. J. D. K.: Be chary of accepting capture as key move of tourney problem. A. Hackett: We appreciate your kindly remarks. O. E.: Forsyth notation is only used in checking diagrams. Beatrice: We are always pleased to see ladies interested in our work. Eureka: We are at present letting the idea of dividing solvers into classes stand over—as the present system is at any rate not unfair to beginners. A. J. B.: No solution came to hand. W. M. K.: Book knowledge is not of much use to beginners. They generally attempt too much. We would suggest a good attack (say the Evans) and a sound defence (say the French) for careful study. Nothing is more improving than board play with better players. Bedivere: Your remarks are in the proper sportsmanlike spirit, and doubtless you will win shortly. W. Parry: Many thanks for kind wishes. We hope to see the time when every town in Australia will have a live chess club. Fergus and Clunes: We are much obliged for your courtesy in forwarding lists of solvers.

RAILWAY EXPENDITURE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your able article in yesterday's *Herald* dealing with the above subject ought to be studied carefully by all those who are advocating railway extension into their respective districts. If they will carefully do so I feel satisfied they will be forced to admit that it would be unjust to handicap the producers and distributors of this colony by the construction of further costly and elaborately unproductive lines. The policy of the Government to construct light, inexpensive lines into desirable country, capable of supporting a large population, is indeed commendable, and must surely meet with the approval of all sections of the community who are at all blessed with common sense. Proposed lines costing from seven to eight thousand pounds per mile, running through inaccessible mountain country, and upon which a heavy annual loss would inevitably be sustained for years to come, certainly ought not to be for one moment entertained by the Government or Railway Commissioners. It is confidently to be hoped that the days of logrolling in connection with the construction of railways is for ever past, and a further era in the march of progress, let us hope, will soon be consummated in the freeing from political control of our Civil Service; and yet we are told Mr. Reid is doing nothing by those protectionists who are hungering so keenly for the Ministerial bone. If Mr. Reid will now appoint, say, two commissioners to take the place of the hugely expensive Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works he will confer a blessing on the country; but personally I am in favour of the Railway Commissioners, if it could be so arranged, undertaking and carrying out this important function.

Oct. 15. I am, &c., A. M'INTYRE.

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The employees in the Postal and Electric Telegraph Department on Thursday night held a horticultural show and a promenade concert in the Railway Institute Buildings. There was a creditable exhibition of blooms.

Mr. Cook (Postmaster-General) presided, and congratulated the employees on their success as gardeners. He was pleased to see that so many of them spent their spare hours in such a healthful exercise.

Mr. Lambton (Deputy Postmaster-General), Mr. Dalgarno (secretary), and Mr. W. Wilson (manager of the telegraphic service) were also present.

The principal prizetakers in the open classes were Messrs. G. E. Bragg, C. J. Miller, W. Thompkinson, George Reid, A. J. Arnold, J. Earnshaw, R. T. White, James Varley, H. A. Fox, and F. J. Roberts, Mesdames Smith, Black, and C. B. Rigney, and Misses Rose Miller and M'Kinley. The competition was most severe in the ladies' classes; but the principal prizetakers were Mesdames Smith, G. E. Bragg, Black, Thompkinson, E. Lloyd, and A. J. Arudell, and Miss Rose Miller.

GOODS LANDED ON SOME SYDNEY WHARFS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The manner in which merchandise is handled in this port after being discharged from the ship or steamer, and waiting removal, is one that no doubt has been protested against through your valuable columns; still I hope you will excuse me for taking up your valuable space in referring to the matter. But I do so in the interest of the general body of consignees, who have to put up with the losses, as the ship's bill of lading clears the ship on their having proved landing. But is it sufficient to complete the contract to heap up the goods of the consignees on an open wharf, with hardly any attempt to put the various or different marks separate, and then to say that the ship has completed her contract because the clerk who stands at the hatchway and puts down the marks of the various packages as they are taken away from the slings has your package marked in his book as being landed? Yet this is the position taken up by the ship and the ship's agent, although the consignee or his carter may have applied at the wharf every day during the discharge of the ship's cargo; but owing to the packages being mixed up on the wharf you cannot see half the marks, and the ship's clerk cannot tell you where to find your goods or packages if you apply to him. I would ask, what is our Chamber of Commerce for if not to regulate or rectify such abuses? Let these gentlemen hold an inquiry into the above, and I will pledge my word to bring forward evidence sufficient to prove and justify the above statements.

I am, &c., CONSIGNEE.

THE LAND AND INCOME TAX EXEMPTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you grant me space for a few lines on the land tax? In the first place, I should like to point out that the recent action taken by municipal councils in petitioning both Houses of Parliament not to impose the land tax on the inhabitants of incorporated areas until such time as a local government bill is passed was not a political move, neither was it an improper interference with the Government, or a matter outside the province of aldermen. Aldermen are elected to guard the interests of ratepayers, as well as to spend money, and when they saw that the Government proposed to make all pay the said land tax, whether residing in municipalities or not, it was seen at once that a serious injustice would be done to those who for the last 40 years had voluntarily taxed themselves, and thus in a large measure relieved the Government from the expense and trouble of forming and maintaining roads. Under the present Act this has been going on for nearly 30 years.

The argument that no inconsiderable portion of the council's revenue is derived from the Government may lead some astray. As a matter of fact, the Government subsidy under the Municipalities Act ceases after 15 years from the date of incorporation, and at the present time more than 40 per cent. of the municipalities have ceased to receive the regular endowment, and are only in receipt of any special grant that may be voted by Parliament from time to time, generally about 5s in the £, on the amount of general rates received for the year; so that in reality the majority of councils do not receive very much aid from the Government, certainly under the circumstances not to the extent that they ought. If municipalities are to be taxed for the purpose of enabling the Government to pay a subsidy of 5s per annum, then the ratepayers had better forego it, for the following reasons:—Under the Municipalities Act of 1867 unimproved land is assessed on 5 per cent. of the capital value; that is to say, supposing A is the owner of a block of land valued at £1000, he would pay on £50, and at 1s in the £ would pay to the council 50s. For the same piece of land he would pay to the Government 1d in the £, and it is only reasonable to suppose that any body of ratepayers would be glad to go without the subsidy if it can only be obtained on such terms. Then, again, is it just that A, whose piece of land is situate within a municipality, and therefore liable for sundry rates, should be asked to pay land tax; while B, who lives just outside, only pays one—the land tax, and yet he enjoys the benefits of incorporation equally with A?

Levy the land tax, and rising townships will not seek incorporation. In the interest of the whole community a local government bill should have been first passed, but not Mr. Reid's, for at the best that was only a makeshift. The one previously introduced was the better and more comprehensive.

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BARNATO'S BANK—A FAIRY TALE OF FINANCE—A NEW THING IN SHIP'S ENGINES—TRILBY.

WESTMINSTER, Sept. 13.

Reference to the Count de Cagliostro in connection with Mr. Barnato and the London Stock Exchange might be misconstrued. But certainly since the time of the Sicilian count the marvellous trustfulness of human nature has never been so strikingly demonstrated as it is just now in connection with the gentleman whom thousands of people who never saw him familiarly speak of as "Barney." The construction and flotation of "Barney's Bank" reads like the wildest romance. Picking out the famous nugget of the Londonderry gold-mine was quite a common-place way of creating wealth as compared with the building up of this concern. Mr. Barnato founded the bank, and in the beginning the bank was Mr. Barnato and Mr. Barnato was the bank. Its capital consisted of three and a half million of £1 shares. You write down "£3,500,000," and there you are! The process of caligraphy would have made Mr. Micawber's mouth water had the eminent accountant and political economist still been with us. As yet, it will be seen, there was nothing but the figures written down—a bank with a capital of £3,500,000. Now Mr. Barnato steps in and subscribes (to himself) for two and a half million shares for which he pays in cash, reserving (to himself) the option of taking up at the end of the current year the remaining million shares at £3 each.

This done, Mr. Barnato sold to the bank a large block of his shares in various South African mining and industrial undertakings. Then he let in to a sort of limited partnership some wealthy friends. They formed a pool and purchased something over half a million of Mr. Barnato's shares at £2. That is at double the amount he, Mr. Barnato, had in the first instance purchased them at from himself. The pool, widening its operations, took in a select circle of the public who undertook to buy shares at a price of £3 each. Then the common, public were let in, and rushed at the shares like a famished multitude at a corn granary.

A Stock Exchange friend from whom I have laboriously acquired an insight into this mystery—an insight which I trust your readers may begin to share—describes the scene on the Stock Exchange on the morning when transactions in the bank opened. Dealers and brokers were in their places fully an hour before the usual time. There were hundreds of them, an excited throng forming a ring, all anxiously waiting for some one to step into the open space encircled and "make a price" for Barney's Bank. After a while an adventurous spirit offered 3¼ for a thousand shares. Then Babel burst into loud cry, and the price was speedily run up to £4 10s. Think of it! £4 10s in golden sovereigns offered for a £1 share which Mr. Barnato first sold to himself in a bank that had not at the time a local habitation, which he subsequently sold to personal friends for £2; his personal friends passed it on to a second ring at £3; and hard-headed dealers on the Stock Exchange plank down £4 10s in the belief that bye-and-bye the British public will give £5, or peradventure £6.

Whatever may be the ultimate fate of the bank, or the fortune of those who have speculated in it, it is certain that the man who has made possible the existence and movement of so marvellous a phenomenon must be a notable personage. Early in the year I had the privilege of sitting next to him at a little dinner given in the House of Commons. It was just before his return to South Africa in preparation for the great *coup* that has now fallen with fabulous success. It must be said to his credit that, whilst he stands in the proud position of being one of the wealthiest men in the world, he is exceedingly simple and unaffected in his manner. I was told by our host, who had made his acquaintance at Johannesberg, that the millionaire went out to South Africa not many years ago in pursuit of the honourable avocation of a juggler. He was wont to spread his strip of carpet wherever he came across a group of successful miners, went through his round of tricks, and picked up many honest pennies. It was genially whispered at the dinner table that, amongst other tricks, he had dropped his h's on the carpet and neglected to pick them up. The h's were certainly misplaced. But what is an aspirate more or less to a man who counts his store of golden sovereigns by the million?

The success of the experiment tried with the boilers of H.M.S. Magnificent promises to revolutionise in an important particular the machinery of battleships. The speed of every man-of-war in the fleet is estimated at a normal number of knots. But provision is made for times of emergency when, by putting on extra speed, a particular manœuvre may be effected and possibly an engagement won. This is made practicable by the use of what is technically known as forced draught. The principle is familiar in every forge where by the application of the bellows the fire is excited to the point of white heat. On battleships the air is forced downward into the furnaces, heating them to an extent at which excess of steam is generated sufficient to put on for a while an added knot to the normal speed of the vessel. The advantage is, however, gained at a terrible cost. The pressure on the boilers is such as to cause them to leak, and presently the vessel has to be withdrawn to undergo repairs.

Mr. Penn, the member for Lewishman, head of the famous engineering firm of John Penn and Sons, having had committed to his charge the machinery of the Magnificent, resolved to deal with this vital point. In has long attracted the attention of naval engineers, who have recognised a corrective in the principle of what is known as induced draught. By this means the air, instead of being forced downwards on the furnace, is drawn upward through it, and whilst obtaining equal effect in the increased generation of steam, it does not affect the boilers. What has been lacking has been means of practically applying the induced draught principle to the uses of naval machinery. Mr. Penn has succeeded where many others have failed. The Magnificent can put on her extra knot without damaging the boilers. The plan is adaptable to machinery already in use, and before long it is certain that all British men-of-war will have secured for them this inestimable advantage.

A detailed account of an interview with Mr. Harper conveys the information that Mr. Du Maurier is still at work upon his new novel, and that it is not likely to be finished till the end of next year. The fact is that a little more than three months ago Du Maurier wrote the last sentence of the book, and has for some time been free to devote himself to rehearsals of "Trilby" for the stage. He has been enjoying a period of rest at Folkestone, doing nothing more than his weekly contribution for *Punch*. The misapprehension about the progress of his new book doubtless arises from the circumstance that if it is settled that Messrs. Harper shall publish it (and this was not the case when a short time ago I spoke with Mr. Du Maurier on the subject) their engagements with the magazine preclude them from commencing a fresh serial till December, 1896. In the meanwhile "Trilby" is bowling along at undiminished speed, rolling in money for all concerned as if it were a share in Mr. Barnato's Bank. Amongst the many novel and attractive features in the most interesting of the monthly literary magazines, the *Bookman*, there are supplied reports from various centres of the kingdom setting forth the proportional sales of books. The 6s edition of "Trilby" stands at the head of most of these returns, and failing that proud pre-eminence, comes in second or third.

It is pleasing to know that, thanks to the judicious liberality of the publishers, the author has a direct personal interest in this extraordinary popularity. He sold the book outright to Messrs. Harper, and had no further claim in the way of royalty. They voluntarily conceded a royalty, dating from the beginning of this year, and as the sales in America have shown scarcely appreciable diminution, whilst here they are on the increase, Mr. Du Maurier has already received considerably more than the modest sum for which he parted with the book, preferring the certainty of a thousand pounds in cash to £750 down and prospect of a royalty on sales after a certain number had been disposed of. But the proceeds of booksellers' sales form only an item in the charming ledger account of this successful novel. A dramatised version is played nightly in three or four of the principal theatres of the United States, Mr. Du Maurier having his share of the takings at each. He has made a very shrewd bargain with Mr. Beerbohm Tree for the production of the piece at the Haymarket, with prospect of a run through the country at a later date. Should the piece take on here as it has done in America, "Trilby" will enjoy the distinction of bringing in more money than any novel written since the palmiest days of Dickens or George Elliot.

OLD WORLD GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Sept. 13.

Our politicians are now scattered to the ends of the earth, and for some time to come the recess appears likely to be a quiet one. Until the Government reveal something of their policy there will be nothing for the two great parties in the State to fight about, and we shall have to be content with such subsidiary excitement as may be found in the quarrels of the Irish Party and the intrigues with regard to the Liberal leadership. This of course is assuming that foreign questions do not enter upon an acute phase, which appears to be a probable contingency. As far as the Government are concerned their holiday is likely to be a comparatively brief one. When it became plain that the Unionists were going to have a large majority the old Tories at the West End clubs rubbed their hands exultingly, and declared that at last we were "in for a quiet time." They had recollections of old-fashioned Parliaments which met late in the year and held it a crime to sit beyond the 12th of August, which were easy going and clubable, and suited to the tastes of leisured gentlemen. But they failed to realise the change which has come over the situation. The "young men" of the Unionist Party who won seats at the last election did so by going in strongly upon democratic lines. Indeed they promised more and talked more vigorously than their Liberal opponents. From what can be seen of them at present, they appear to be an undoubtedly energetic body of men. A Government dependent on a party like this is bound to do something in spite of all that Mr. Traill and other armchair advocates of the *dolce far niente* may please to say.

At the same time it will be no slight matter for the Government to shape a definite policy. It is quite true that the constituencies gave Lord Salisbury a blank cheque, but he is expected to fill it up to some purpose. There is hardly a question with which the new Ministry will be called upon to deal that does not bristle with formidable difficulties. They can no more get rid of the eternal Irish question than their predecessors, and it is quite within the range of possibility that next session may be an Irish session after all. There is the proposal which I have before mentioned for abolishing the Lord Lieutenancy and substituting a Royal Residence in Ireland—a scheme which her Gracious Majesty is believed to look on with considerable dubiety, but which is being strongly urged on the Government by some of their most influential supporters. Then a big Irish Land Bill is inevitable, and anyone behind the scenes in politics could easily name members of the present Government who are at daggers drawn on this question. Something will have to be done in the way of old age pensions, and in the direction of realising Mr. Chamberlain's pet scheme of helping working men to become owners of their houses. It would be interesting to know the honest opinion of the First Lord of the Admiralty (Mr. Goschen) in regard to the socialistic proposals of the Secretary for the Colonies. Then the Government are pledged up to the hilt to do something for the voluntary schools, but as soon as they attempt it a bitter and determined theological fight is bound to occur. Next there is the question of the government of London, and unless the Conservatives are prepared to take up the Liberals scheme—and perhaps "go one better," which I think is quite probable—they are bound to get into prodigious difficulties. The so-called "Tenification" proposal, which means the dividing up of London into a set of independent municipalities, has already been laughed out of court. He would be a bold man and a clever one who could frame a successful policy for the new Ministry on which their followers and themselves would manage to agree.

There has been much talk this week and a great amount of correspondence in the newspapers on the "reunion of Christendom." Cardinal Vaughan has been speaking on the subject at Bristol to an audience composed of devout Roman Catholics, who gave him a welcome of extraordinary enthusiasm—hanging with veneration, I have seen it stated, on every syllable. The Archbishop of Canterbury has quite recently issued a pastoral on the question, and Dr. Joseph Parker, of the City Temple, has come forward with a somewhat rhetorical appeal from the Nonconformist point of view for a step towards the universal brotherhood of Christian people. All this is more or less an echo of that remarkable letter, *ad Anglos*, which was recently issued from the Vatican. But are we one whit nearer the great ideal? I once heard a distinguished ecclesiastic, who was not given to saying cynical things merely for the sake of smartness, observe that the reunion of Christendom was "an excellent thing to quarrel about." This seems hardly an exaggeration when we find that the appeal of the oracle of the City Temple only moves a strong Churchman like Lord Grimthorpe to dwell ironically on "the immense advantages" likely to accrue from letting Dr. Parker, and, therefore, necessarily every Mr. Stiggins, preach in Anglican churches. And no one can read Dr. Vaughan's address without seeing that it is from beginning to end an absolute *non possumus*. In this respect it dots the i's and crosses the t's of the Papal letter most effectually. The dreamers in the Church of England who still talk about the "unity of Christendom," imagine that the time will come when the Church of Rome will be content to place itself on an equal footing with the Eastern churches, and the Anglican Church will acknowledge their divine origin and historical claims, and the validity of their orders, and be content to merge itself in a universal church with, possibly, the Pope as *primus inter pares* among "Primates" at large. Cardinal Vaughan has placed his foot down on this in a most peremptory fashion. The validity of orders—in fact, the whole range of the historical claims of other churches—may deserve to be considered in a very indulgent spirit. But as a condition precedent of all this, there must be an unqualified recognition of the universal and divine authority of the Pope—that is, of Papal infallibility. "Ubi Petrus ibi ecclesia." That, of course, shuts the door in the faces of Anglican churchmen who have dreamt of compromise, and, indeed, Cardinal Vaughan openly scouts "corporate reunion" in favour of the possibility of individual conversion. A friend of mine—a shrewd Catholic layman—put the case of the "Papal concessions" very well the other day. "If you come back," he said, "we will kill the fatted calf for you. But you must come back." There it is in a nutshell.

Quite a succession of fatal bathing accidents at our favourite watering-places—some of them of a very painful and pathetic character—has revived the question whether there ought not to be a change in our customs in regard to sea-bathing altogether. To put the matter plainly, the majority of the lives sacrificed in this way have been offered up on the altar of Mrs. Grundy. The stern separation of the sexes by the widest possible expanse of beach is still a portion of municipal policy at our chief seaside resorts, and the unhappy male person who does not care to make use of a "machine" has either to take his dip at an unconscionably early hour of the morning or to go outside the town boundaries, where there are no boards to warn him of dangerous places. If he is drowned, there the local authorities lightly disclaim all responsibility, and it is in such unlabelled dangerous spots that most of the recent accidents have occurred. The old wooden machine, with its dark dirty interior, its slippery steps, and its endless inconveniences in other respects, has been steadily falling into disfavour, and courageous folk now take their own tents with them to the seaside, and bathe *en famille*, as far as possible from the general crowd and with as much safety as they can in unknown waters. But reckless innovators are now calling out for something more than this—for the adoption of nothing less than the Continental fashion, which enables the sexes to bathe together attired in dresses which, as far as the ladies are concerned, have often cost as much thought as a ballroom costume. The gay crowd at Trouville or Biarritz are never in much danger, for not only are there plenty of willing hands to help anyone who by accident gets into deep water—they don't often do it—but local enterprise provides boats which keep on the outside of the bathing throng with expert boatmen in them ready to lend a hand. I fancy we are a good way off at present from the free-and-easy ideals of Continental pleasure-seekers at the seaside, but some compromise ought certainly to be possible by which the present stupid and often dangerous regulations might be relaxed.

We have had the inevitable cholera scare this month, but it has not come to much. Two suspicious cases occurred at Grimsby, and the local authorities, with the wisdom which is apt to be characteristic of such bodies, decided that they must discuss the matter in secret. That was, of course, quite enough to make everybody feel certain that the cases were very serious ones, and one curious result of the scare was that it injured the business of the London fishmongers, a good many of whom get their fish direct from Grimsby. Since we have been assured on high medical authority of late that oysters may convey typhoid fever, why should not the sole and the codling bring the germs of a more terrible disease? However, the bacteriological investigation has resulted adversely to the belief that the cases are those of Asiatic cholera at all. By-the-way, it is a very noteworthy fact that this is the first September for five or six years past, or, perhaps, more, that there has not been a very serious cholera scare on the Continent. Year after year we have had soon after midsummer news that the dreaded pest was advancing from the East, and by the end of August it had firmly fixed itself in Holland and parts of Germany, and over large districts in France. In England we have only experienced it in isolated cases imported from abroad, but it has been far too near our shores to be at all pleasant, and it has year after year upset the calculations and spoiled the holidays of timid would-be tourists on the Continent. We had, indeed, come to regard its advent at this time of the year as inevitable, but this year, although some cases are reported from the East, I have not, so far, seen a single report of a serious outbreak in any of the western countries of Europe, in spite of the very hot summer which has been experienced almost everywhere; and there are some grounds for hoping that the cholera period, which almost seems to go and come according to a regular law, is, for the present, at an end.

OUR AMERICAN LETTER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.

The history of the Southern States since the war shows very strikingly the futility of attempting to control the action of an Anglo-Saxon people by means of a mere written constitution. Those States as the price of peace formally accepted negro suffrage as a part of the organic law, and as long as the Federal troops remained on guard the negroes not only voted, but the negro party ruled—that is to say, shamefully misruled—the land. But when the troops left, the white minority soon again got the upper hand by the simple process of intimidating the blacks into giving up possession of the electoral machinery. After that the formal voting at the polls was a mere farce. The real struggle for office took place at the nominating conventions of the white men, for the nominees were invariably "counted in" by the inspectors. So far as local offices were concerned this worked well enough, but for Congress or for offices covering the whole State there were sometimes rival white nominations, and then the result turned simply upon which side had the effrontery to declare the greater fraudulent vote. Last fall in one Georgia district the total vote declared was just three times the number of all the adult males, but in order to avoid the scandal of a contest before a Republican House the winning candidate agreed to call the election off. In Alabama twice, and in Tennessee once, even the Governorship has been awarded confessedly to the minority white candidate. But such a state of affairs could only end in anarchy, and the better element of the whites began to devise legal means to rid themselves of the black voter. One plan, already adopted by several States, is to limit the suffrage to citizens who can read, or who, even if they cannot read, are able to satisfy the inspectors that they comprehend the meaning of the Constitution of the United States. This excludes the illiterate half of the blacks without interfering with the illiterate whites; but it is so palpable an evasion of the law that of course it would only be permitted under a friendly Democratic Washington Administration. Facing the impending probability of Republican ascendency, however, South Carolina will now possibly take a ground which may really prove to be sound. This is simply to draw a wide distinction between voting and being voted for—that is, to have everybody vote, but to let no one, white or black, hold office unless he is possessed of qualifications of a sufficiently high order to exclude nine-tenths of the blacks. There is great doubt as to what the practical result of such a system would be, for it clearly would not necessarily remove the danger of Negro domination, but it is at least worth a trial. If it failed there would have to be another temporary régime of violence until a better scheme could be hit upon. One thing, however, may be set down for certain—that the plain purpose of the Constitution to make blacks and whites political equals will be in some way, either by fair means or foul, overridden. But this does not after all carry with it an implication of treason, for long ago James Russell Lowell justly said that the Constitution was merely intended to act as "a check upon the whims of the people, not upon its will." Like a legal code, a political constitution begins to change its real character from the very day of its birth. Some clauses are literally construed, others liberally, and it is not long before parts of it become wholly obsolete, while other parts are strained into altogether unforeseen importance.

In current politics the salient features are at one and the same time the triumph of the so-called "bosses" in both parties in nearly all the States in the preliminary primaries and conventions, and a general revolt in both parties, and in nearly all the States, against them. To impartial eyes some of the "bosses" seem good and even patriotic, nor are even the worst of them devoid of redeeming virtues. As a class they are men of restrained or ascetic habits and of untiring industry, and if some of them abuse their power to improve their personal fortunes, the great majority, when they either die or are deposed, are as poor as when they first caught the fatal infection of ambition. Mr. Conkling, for example, in his last years had not only to begin the world over again, but to struggle against a load of debts; and his rival, Mr. Blaine—accused of corruption, and who, if indeed corrupt, might easily have made many millions—died simply well-to-do. John Kelly, leader for many years of Tammany Hall, permitted scores of men to amass large fortunes by jobbery and blackmail, but took, nothing for himself, and died comparatively poor. Yet is certain that "political bosses" are looked upon by all good men with doubt and suspicion. The reason is that, as American political machinery is now framed, a man in order to become a boss must either personally or by proxy do many humiliating and even degrading things. In every close district some citizens hold back their votes for money. If you wish to be a boss you must buy those men, even though this is a crime which if it could be proved would send you for a long term to the State prison. And where is the money to come from? Not out of your own pocket, for that is empty. You must do as the other fellows do—call on the corporations and the big brewers and distillers, and any other people who live in fear of what the law might do against them, and ask for contributions. They will give them to you, because they will regard them as a premium paid to insure them against the attacks of meddlesome reformers; and the legislators whom you control, either by delaying an obnoxious bill in committee until it is too late to pass it or by an open vote against it, will make good your tacit pledge of protection against interference. That all the evils we now complain of most loudly are due to the corruption of the party machinery and not to the degeneracy of the people is no doubt true, but no remedy has yet been found except to slaughter the nominees of one machine at the polls and to give control of affairs to the other machine, which is intrinsically no better. This is the remedy which the reform Democrats in Kentucky, Maryland, Tennessee, and some smaller States, and the reform Republicans in Pennsylvania and New York, after ineffective attempts to capture the party machinery at the primaries, are now preparing to apply. Some of the scenes at these primaries—which are of course the local party meetings, at which delegates to the nominating conventions are voted for—have been exciting almost to the point of murder. In this State only last night Mr. Fassett, in Chemung County, who was four years ago the party candidate for Governor, seized a usurping chairman by the nape of the neck and flung him from the platform; and in this city Mr. Van Renselaer Cruger, who is a rich man, a churchwarden in Trinity Church, and the husband of the novelist Julian Gordon, drew a pistol and thus held his own until the arrival of the police forced a meeting to come to order. But even if the primaries were conducted with the same stern observance of order as the regular elections there would be little real improvement. A bad boss might be replaced by one not quite so bad, but in the nature of things a party cannot rise above the average morals of the community, and it must be governed by some one who is not troubled by over-nice scruples as to ways and means. Fortunately, however, the grasp of the politicians upon the real life of the people is limited; they may postpone reforms and give old abuses a little longer tenure of plunder, but as soon as public opinion settles down into a well-defined channel it carries parties and officials willy-nilly along with it. Thus the reform of the Civil Service, although detested by the politicians of all parties, steadily conquers for itself a wider and wider area, and will in time make nearly all public employments non-partisan. And if a man really wishes to do something for his country, he can be fully as successful outside as inside party. It was the little scattered band of abolitionists, for 30 years ostracised by all parties, who did away with human slavery in America.

The Atlanta Exposition, which opens next week, will be a very much greater success than even its warmest friends had hoped. It cannot, of course, be compared in size with the giant show at Chicago, but in not a few lines—especially those which have to do with agriculture—it will be even more complete and interesting. Mexico and Brazil make specially important exhibits, and no doubt the exposition will take on a very marked Pan-American character. All of the 44 sister States of Georgia have appointed visiting delegations, and nearly all will be represented all through the Fair by a permanent resident corps, composed of both ladies and gentlemen. Southern hospitality is a proverb, and not a few of the extra dollars flowing into Southern pockets from the timely rise in cotton will be expended in entertaining their visitors. Fortunately, the sentiment of reconciliation and amity has taken on this year a tinge of almost hysterical exaltation. A few weeks ago the Marylanders—who had to be kept from secession at the point of the bayonet—were honoured by the unveiling of a great monument in memory of the heroic Four Hundred of their ancestors who held the King's forces at bay at the cost of two-thirds of their number, and thus covered the retreat of Washington after the disastrous battle of Brooklyn. And during all the present week the Grand Army of the Republic, still many thousands strong, has been holding its annual encampment in the Southern city of Louisville; and that most eloquent and magnetic of Confederates, Colonel Henry Watterson, welcomed them in so moving a speech that he himself and the thousands who listened to him broke down into actual tears. At Chicago, too, a noble memorial has been erected to the several thousand Confederates who died there while prisoners of war, and there were on that occasion also quite a number of very brotherly orations. Minor incidents of the same type—such as the voluntary return of flags won in battle—might be cited by the score. And it is, perhaps, the very best proof of a real outbreak of fraternal and human feeling that not even the negro is altogether forgotten at the love-feast, for at the opening of the exposition Booker T. Washington, one of the most famous of coloured leaders, and a very cultivated, able, and eloquent man, will, by the unanimous vote of the directors, deliver an address.

The so-called "Chatauqua idea" of summer schools is constantly assuming new forms of development. The latest, and a very promising one indeed, is in the inauguration of summer camps in California for the instruction of farmers in scientific agriculture. The farmers drive with a waggon-load of necessaries to an appointed trysting place in the woods or on the shores of a lake, set up their tents, rig up a platform for the professors and benches for themselves, and then settle down to hard study. The course runs usually over a term of three weeks, with two long lectures a day, followed by questioning of the professors, the collation of personal, practical experiences (which are reported to have often instructed the professors themselves), and general debate. The evenings are mainly devoted to the discussion of "economics," and as the State grange takes a very active interest in such camps, the political doctrines taught may perhaps scarcely be regarded as precisely orthodox. Still the Stanford University furnishes the lecturers, the topics being generally "The Farmer as Buyer," or as "Seller," "Transporter," "Taxpayer," "Co-operator," and so forth. But the day work is under the guidance of the University of California, the professors of the highest grade being detailed for the service, and traverses such subjects as "The Origin and Formation of Soils," "Relation of Water to Plant Diseases," "Grasses and Forage Plants," "Forestry," &c., &c. This year's ventures have been so successful that next year the course will be planned for five or perhaps six weeks, and most of the farmers will bring their families with them, and due offerings will be made to the social amenities. After all, however, this is really merely an extension of the work of the State University, now prosecuted for several years, in organising all over the State farmers' institutes, which are regularly visited by professors, who give short courses of a week upon some special branch of "intensive" agri, horti, or arbori culture. Probably, in time, as the older States more and more take the higher education out of private control into their own hands this system will be naturalised all over the Union.

Unless the Pacific cable people put their best foot foremost they may possibly be anticipated by a rival company. It is of vital necessity, alike to Hawaii and to this country, that a cable should connect Honolulu and San Francisco at the earliest possible moment; and Colonel Spalding, of Honolulu, as the agent of a syndicate of capitalists, mainly French, has already made an offer to Hawaii to complete a cable before March, 1897. Hawaii is asked to pay 50,000dol. a year subsidy for 20 years, getting her official telegrams transmitted free; and the United States will be expected to pay either the same sum or to give a guarantee of a minimum amount of annual cable tolls. No other line shall land a cable in Hawaii for 20 years, and the approval and protection of the United States are to be formally pledged. Congress will most likely gladly accept such a proposition, which will certainly be a lighter burden upon the taxpayer than the proposed construction of a line by the two Governments. The cost of the line to the syndicate will be 4,000,000dol., and there would seem to be a fair prospect of a moderate profit even if the cable stopped short at Honolulu. But it probably would not so stop, but would soon connect itself southward with the line already laid to New Caledonia, and westward with China and Japan. In any case, it is hardly likely that this missing link in Puck's girdle of the earth will remain lacking much longer; and perhaps, a century hence, when the Siberian wheatfields have developed a great population, the traffic across the Pacific will rival in volume that which now passes across the Atlantic. The world is still very young, nor can anyone even guess at the strange disturbances of its political equilibrium which lie hidden in the not very remote future.

All peace-loving men the wide world over regret the unfortunate result of the yacht races, and especially those many thousands of Americans who have known Lord Dunraven since he made his first visit here 20 years ago. But that trouble would sooner or later arise from these international contests has long been foreseen, and possibly the mischief done can yet be at least partially remedied. These great sloops are after all mere costly toys of very wealthy men; they are built nearly enough like a boat to pass muster as pleasure yachts, but they are in fact only racing machines, and the folly of indulging in them is sufficiently shown by the fact that in point of mere swiftness a boy in a catamaran could outsail the very best of them that ever was launched. There is now here yet another English yachtsman, Mr. Brand, but his yacht, Spruce IV., is only a little half-rater, 23ft. over all, and with a water line length of 16ft. She will probably take part in the coming Seawanhaka Club regatta, and if she should carry off a prize, it would give a stimulus to what is far more deserving of encouragement than these great matches—the sailing by their amateur owners of craft whose slight cost puts them within the reach of any clerk who has a living salary and loves to spend his leisure hours upon the rolling waves. There are many thousands of such boats owned by Americans along the coast and on the great inland lakes, and to win cups galore among these non-professional tars ought to be a greater honour, and certainly is fully as worthy of the true sportsman as to be one of a syndicate to build a 90-ton yacht and hire professionals to sail her. Which is the truer sportsman—the man who makes a bag of a few hundred birds at a battue, or he who shoulders his gun and brings back from the open woods a dozen or two of hardly-earned woodcock or quail?

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.

A court for the revision of the electoral roll for Pyrmont Division was held at the Central Police Court yesterday. Mr. Addison, S.M., presided. The names of 44 electors were struck off the roll owing to their having changed their residences and obtained rights for other electorates. The names of 13 electors who had died were also struck off. The names of 8 new electors were placed on the roll. 201 names were objected to by the registrar, and all the objections were upheld. The objections were principally on the ground of the rights being unclaimed. The revised roll contains 1755 names.

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TO LET, a Consulting ROOM in College-st. Apply A. P., 52 College-st.

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TWO new 6-roomed Houses, every conve., Goulburn-st., near Riley and Oxford sts. Apply 184 Goulburn-st.

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WORKSHOP and STABLES to LET, suit builder and joiner, low rent. G. T. Savage, 120 Regent-st., R'fern.

WAREHOUSE, No. 42 Market-street, opposite New City Markets (now building), four fine floors and good dry basement; VERY LOW RENTAL will be accepted. ALEX. MARTIN, 213 Clarence-street.

WOOLLAHRA, Edgecliff-road.—TARA, 6 rooms, kitchen, hall, bathroom, all offices, fernery, lovely views, convenient to tram and 'bus. M'INTYRE and HORNING, Wood's-chambers, 3 Moore-street, city.

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Businesses for Sale.

BETWEEN Ashfield and Summer Hill.—DAIRY BUSINESS, in full swing, with a capital chance to make one of the largest in this district, at present 19 cows, 1 Jersey bull, horse, cart, cans, &c.; selling through family reasons; low price will be accepted. STANTON and SON, Agents, Summer Hill.

FOR SALE, cheap, Greengrocery and Confectionery, good stand. 438 Elizabeth-st., Strawberry Hills.

FREEHOLD Property.—An old-estab. Tailoring Business, first-class dwelling-place, with shop doing fair business, with ev. conv.; also, stock-in-trade, furn., pair ponies, buggy, sulky, 2 sets harness, 3 sewing-machines, equal to new. Price, £2000; a real bargain. The owner leaving the colony. Box 718, G.P.O., Sydney.

W. BUTLER (of Butler Bros.), offices, 60 King-st., see York-st.—Wood, Coal, Sawmills, £100, full swing.

W. BUTLER, 60 King-st.—Country STORE, £900 stock, trade £4000; meet vendor at 11 this day.

W. BUTLER.—Country STORE, stock £3500, trade £10,000 a year. At 60 King-st., near York-st.

Musical Instruments.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION. THIRD PRIZE, a Splendid PIANO, value 75 guineas. 25 PER CENT. REDUCTION FOR CASH. For SALE, and on View, 70 William-st., Woolloomooloo.

PIANOS, all makers, 2s 6d deposit, club system, balance, 1 to 5 years. American Agency, 78 George-st. West.

PIANO, £13, check action, perfect order, brilliant tone, very durable. Powell, 57 Flinders-st.

WANTED to buy second-hand PIANO, particulars and price, cash. W. Cornish, Herald, King-st.

PIANO, £22, iron frame, check action, brass tuning plate, walnut. Naylor, 60 York-st.

PIANOS.—New and second-hand, reliable instruments, cheap for cash. Naylor, 60 York-st.

PIANO-TUNING and repairing on the shortest notice, first-class style. Naylor, 60 York-st.

THE WOOL TRADE.

Friday Evening.

At the various sales held during the week the offerings were on a moderate scale, amounting only to 19,495 bales, as against 35,668 bales last week. Effects of recent rains are blamed for this, as the arrivals by rail are much below those generally received at this time of the year, and as a matter of fact there is a decrease of 4252 bales in the rail receipts of this year since 1st July as compared with a corresponding period in 1894. Deliveries may now, however, be expected to be more plentiful, for it will not be till further on in the season that the shortage of the clip will affect supplies.

Auctions were well attended, good competition prevailed for the better classes, and in a modified degree for the medium and inferior descriptions; but the clip as a whole is turning out even more faulty than was expected, and buyers are complaining of the difficulty experienced in finding wools sufficiently good to fill their orders. For this reason anything ranging from good to superior is in great demand, and under keen competition commands rates quite in keeping with those current in the previous week. "Good" wools, say those ranging last week from 7½d to 8½d for greasy fleece, 6d to 6½d for lambs, 6d to 7d for pieces, 4½d to 4½d for bellies, 7½d to 8½d for greasy crossbred, and at a similar ratio for several descriptions, were weaker from par to ½d, whilst medium to inferior sorts were ½d to ½d, in some cases ¾d, lower. There is always a market for a certain proportion of low and faulty wools, but so far this season the quantity so characterised is excessive, and a weakening in prices has been the natural result. Greasy wool this week touched 9½d, this price being paid for 98 bales of first crossbred marked Burburgate, from Gunnedah; and also for 44 bales first clothing wethers of the T over diamond, from Murrumbidgerie. At 9d, 160 bales first combing and super clothing ewes of the Amos over Tulloona clip, from Moree, and four bales of black wool marked JHD conjoined over Ulumbie, from Walgett, were sold. Several lots brought from 8½d to 8¾d, but all these must be reckoned as superior wools, well grown, sound and free. The top price for the week was 16½d, paid privately for 29 bales super combing of the well-known Midkin brand, from Moree. This was a very dry, bright, and well got up line that had been excellently scoured on the station.

It will be well for growers who wish to realise with any degree of satisfaction in this market to pay particular attention to the trend of values for wools that are thin and badly grown, weak in the staple, and affected by burr or seed. As has already been pointed out, these descriptions are over-plentiful, and first offers are not likely to be repeated at a second cataloguing, nor is it at all probable that any better fate will attend them in London, where it will be noticed further on that at the sales lately concluded there such descriptions were considerably weaker, and these being last year's production are in all probability superior to similar sorts of this season's growth.

Values in the Sydney market are now as follow:—

Description.	Superior.			Good.			Medium.			Inferior.		
	d.		d.	d.		d.	d.		d.	d.		d.
Greasy fleece	8½	to	9½	7½	to	8	6	to	6½	4½	to	5½
Greasy lambs	7	to	8	5½	to	6	4½	to	5½	3	to	4
Greasy pieces	7½	to	8½	5½	to	6	4½	to	5½	3	to	4
Greasy bellies	5½	to	6	4½	to	4½	3½	to	3½	2	to	3
Greasy xbd	8½	to	9	7½	to	8	6	to	6½	5	to	5½
Scoured fleece	15	to	18½	12½	to	14½	11	to	12½	9½	to	10½
Scoured pieces	12	to	13	10½	to	11½	9	to	10	7	to	8½
Scoured bellies	11	to	12½	9½	to	10½	8½	to	9½	7	to	8
Scoured locks	8	to	9	6½	to	7	5½	to	6½	4½	to	5½
Washed fleece	9½	to	11	7½	to	8½	6½	to	7½	5½	to	6½

Offerings and sales by the various brokers are as under:—

	Catalogued. Bales.	Sold.* Bales.
Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited	3,023	3,111
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited	4,240	2,091
Dalgety and Co., Limited	†	†
Winchcombe, Carson, and Co.	2,008	1,581
John Bridge and Co.	1,345	1,840
Campbell, Nimmo, and Co.	491	527
M'Burney, Wallis, and Co.	—	—
Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited	1,655	1,503
Hill, Clark, and Co.	2,364	2,016
New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited	†	†
J. C. Young and Co.	529	248
The Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd.	3,041	1,495
Total for the week	19,495	15,012
Brought forward	52,549	64,702
Total since July 1	72,044	79,714
Corresponding period last year	35,002	30,668
Increase	37,042	49,046

* Including private sales.

† Sale day Monday next, October 21.

The arrivals into Sydney for the week are as follow:—

	Bales.
By rail	20,142
By sea	4,933
Total	25,075

The total arrivals since the beginning of the statistical year are—

	Bales.
At Darling Harbour Station, since 1st July, 1895, to 16th October, 1895	166,179
Corresponding period last year	170,431
Decrease	4,252
By sea from 1st July, 1895, to 16th October, 1895	48,320
Corresponding period last year	42,316
Increase	6,004

The following shipments have taken place from Sydney:—

	Bales.
Woollahra (s.), to London, 11th October	836
Wooloomooloo (s.), to Dunkirk, 11th October	1,011
Anna, ship, to London, 12th October	4,069
Guthrie (s.), to Japan, 12th October	468
Argonaut, ship, to London, 12th October	6,808
Gulf of Genoa (s.), to London, 12th October	278
Arcadia (s.), to London, 14th October	498
Cimba, ship, to London, 14th October	5,064
Chemnitz (s.), to Hamburg, 15th October	2,466
Chemnitz (s.), to Antwerp, 15th October	1,473
Chemnitz (s.), to Bremen, 15th October	1,259
Chemnitz (s.), to Hamburg or Bremen, 15th October	601
Bombala (s.), to Calcutta, 17th October	157
Ettrickdale (s.), to Dunkirk, 18th October	5,217
Ettrickdale (s.), to Hamburg, 18th October	4,080
Total for week	33,874
Brought forward since 1st July, 1895	88,681
Total from Sydney	121,555
From Newcastle—Brought forward since 1st July, 1895	12,317
Total Sydney and Newcastle	133,872
Corresponding period last year	97,102
Increase	36,770

The fifth or September series of sales in London closed on the 12th instant with a firm market and a full maintenance of opening rates, except in the case of inferior and faulty wools, which were weaker. Stated broadly, as compared with the closing rates of the previous series, prices for greasy merino were 1d to 1½d higher; scoured, 1½d to 2d; fine crossbred, ½d to 1d; and coarse crossbred, 1d to 1½d higher. But of 227,000 bales available for the series, 123,000 were taken by the home trade, 89,000 bales for the Continent, 5000 bales for America, whilst 10,000 bales are held over, or a little over 4½ per cent. of the quantity available. For the November sales it is expected that about 180,000 bales will be on offer, as against 192,000 bales at the corresponding sales of 1894, when, however, there was the large carry-over of 60,000 bales of old stock.

The opening of the wool season in Melbourne seems to have caused some disappointment, not so much as to actual prices realised, but on account of the absence of that animation and spirit which usually characterise initial auctions there. The cause is said to be the receipt of unfavourable news from manufacturing centres as to "tops" and "futures" on Continental markets. Prices, however, showed an advance of 10 to 15 per cent. as compared with the opening rates of last season. American advices to the 24th August report a quieter and less excited market than that which existed in July, though all grades of domestic clip were then stated to be selling in moderate quantity at full prices. An expected shortage of 30 to 40 per cent. in the clip was expected to maintain the advance in values previously established. In foreign wools there was a good trade doing, Australian and New Zealand varieties selling very freely. Some lots of choice fine combing had been sold on a basis of 46 cents (23d). Clean scoured and Cape wools were meeting a better inquiry at from 13½ cents (6¾d) for greasy clothing to 36 cents (18d) for scoured snow whites. South American crossbreds are said to be growing in favour with worsted spinners, lots fairly free from burrs being in best demand; and all carpet wools were strong and in fair request.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.

A largely attended meeting of officers of the Department of Lands was held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel yesterday afternoon, at which the provisions of the Public Service Bill now before Parliament were discussed. It was resolved to convene a meeting of public servants at an early date to consider the various clauses of the bill, especially those referring to contributors of the Superannuation Fund. A provisional committee was appointed, with power to add to their number, to include representatives of all the Government departments. A meeting of the provisional committee will be held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel on Monday afternoon.

MADAGASCAR.

The news of the capture of Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar, by the French is now confirmed, and, notwithstanding the patriotic declamations of the Queen and her people, it would appear that after all their conquerors had little but the climate and natural difficulties to contend with. Though this large and interesting island is nearer to us than the Cape, as we have no direct, and probably not much indirect, communication with it, it is safe to assume that little is known about it in these colonies. In view of events which have just occurred, therefore, a brief sketch of the history which has led up to them may be acceptable. Though this great island was probably known to the traders of the Indian Ocean much earlier, it was that ubiquitous traveller, Marco Polo, who first introduced it to the notice of Europe in the thirteenth century, and it was subsequently "discovered" by the Portuguese in the sixteenth century. Though the ethnology of the different tribes composing the Malagasy nation is interesting, it is sufficient to say here that, according to the best authorities, an early incursion of Malayan settlers or refugees has eventuated in the introduction of their language, manners, and customs almost universally throughout the islands, though the somewhat Mongolian aspect of some of the Hova aristocracy would point to the possibility of Chinese invasion or immigration.

In the year 1540 a small party of Portuguese established themselves on the south-east extremity of the island, but the natives, being jealous of the settlement of foreigners on their coast, invited them to a fête, in the midst of which they treacherously massacred all but four or five of them. The Portuguese continued to trade there for a short time, but never attempted any further permanent settlement. The Dutch also had a look at the place, but found it so unhealthy that they were not much impressed with it. Then the Jesuits attempted, unsuccessfully, to establish a mission. It was now the turn of France to try the formation of establishments on the great African island, and the famous Société de l'Orient was formed in 1642, under the patronage of Cardinal de Richelieu, having for its object the colonisation of Madagascar on a grand scale. After languishing for 30 years, during which the enmity of the natives, disease, and the greed of the agents, combined to produce nothing but disaster, the first French establishment ended by a massacre of nearly all the colonists while they were celebrating midnight mass outside their fort. In spite of this abandonment, the Government of France never ceased to consider Madagascar as belonging to the dominions of the French Crown, to which the island was formally reunited in 1686.

At the beginning of the eighteenth century Madagascar was made a general resort and rendezvous for the pirates who infested the Indian Ocean, who were finally routed out in 1722-23, when their daring exploits had created universal alarm amongst all the European naval powers. In 1725 edicts were again issued by the French Government, perpetuating the repeated claims of France to her rights of supremacy in Madagascar, which all French historians agree in maintaining she has never renounced. Notwithstanding this, till 1750 the French did nothing, but in that year the *Compagnie Française des Indes* established a post, but their agent so tyrannised over the natives that they rose and massacred him and all his companions. In 1768 the French again attempted a settlement, which was finally given up in the following year, when France was absorbed in the preliminaries of the American war. For some years, though visited by eminent French and English naturalists, who declared, what has since been fully recognised, that the great island does not resemble any other country in the world, as regards its variety of novelties, both animal and vegetable, Madagascar was left alone. In 1771 an adventurer named Benyowsky endeavoured to make himself lord paramount of the island, and sought to get the French and afterwards the English Governments to recognise him as such. Needless to say he met with no encouragement, and was finally killed while resisting the French troops in 1786. The terrible French revolution which commenced in 1789 put a stop to all projects of colonisation in Madagascar, though it was repeatedly visited by French and English vessels. So matters remained till 1810. In this year the supremacy of the British flag in the Indian Ocean was established by the capture of Mauritius and Bourbon, and in 1814 by treaty signed in Paris, the French ceded their settlements in Madagascar to Great Britain. In 1815 a party of English were sent over from Mauritius to form a settlement at Port Louquez, with the consent of the local chiefs, but owing to treachery or misunderstanding the whole party was massacred by the natives; the guilty were subsequently punished, and matters went peaceably, the chiefs showing themselves friendly to the English.

It must be remembered that while France and England were disputing the nominal ownership of the island, neither of these Powers had succeeded in obtaining any real control over it, save the establishment of a few posts on the coast, and the cession of strips of land by some of the chiefs. In the meantime the Hova chief Radama, had been gradually subduing the other tribes, and finally assumed the title of King of Madagascar, having established his power all over the island, despite the protests of the French. Radama died in 1828 at the early age of 36, and was succeeded by his principal wife, Ranavalona. Radama had proved himself a friend of England, and his reign constituted an important epoch in the history of Madagascar. The alliance with Great Britain, the suppression of the slave trade, and the adoption of a general system of education on European lines, together with the introduction of Christianity and its civilising influences into the very heart of the country, combined to lay the foundations of a stable and well-constituted State. The introduction of the printing-press and the diffusion of numerous branches of art by the mechanics and artificers of the London Missionary Society were also events which gave a marked character to the period during which the Hova Kingdom was established under Radama I. Unfortunately, after the strong hand of Radama had ceased to wield the sceptre, rebellion broke out, and the Queen also showed herself unfriendly to England. The French, taking advantage of this, sent an expedition to demand from the Queen the recognition of the rights of France over the greatest portion of the eastern coast. This was refused, and hostilities broke out, with the final result that the French were defeated, and on the 3rd July, 1831, the last Frenchman quitted Malagasy soil. Meantime the Government had not interfered with the unremitting labours of the missionaries, but the cupidity of some of its myrmidons and the indiscreet acts and sayings of some of the Christians brought suspicion upon them, with the result that the missionaries were forced to leave, and their proselytes were badly treated. The country then fell into a deplorable state of anarchy and disorder, and from this time but little intelligence was obtainable by foreigners as to what was passing in Madagascar, but that a fierce hatred against foreigners and their religion was nursed by the idolatrous advisers of the Queen. Meantime, internal disorder increased, and it appeared probable that Madagascar would become closed as a foreign market of commerce to Europeans.

Owing to the ill-treatment of foreigners, culminating in the confiscation of their property and their general expulsion, a combined French and English squadron bombarded the town and fort of Tamatave on the 15th June, 1845. In an attempt to storm the latter they were, however, defeated with severe loss. Till the year 1852 all relations with the outer world were at an end. In 1857 a French adventurer named Lambert headed an unsuccessful insurrection against the Queen, which only resulted in fresh persecutions of the Christians. At last, after a reign of 33 years, the Queen died in August, 1861, and was succeeded by her son, Radama II. He proved himself an ardent reformer, and amongst his earliest proclamations was one giving perfect religious freedom to all residing in the country. He also wrote to the Governors of Mauritius and Réunion to invite traders and settlers to Madagascar, assuring them of protection and perfect freedom to trade in all articles except arms and ammunition. Unfortunately the King reposed too much confidence in his youthful companions, and appointed them to the principal offices, with the result that discontent arose, culminating in his assassination on 12th May, 1863. He was succeeded by Queen Rasoherina, who only occupied a troubled throne till 1st April, 1868. She was succeeded by Queen Ranavalona II., whose reign was the inauguration of a new and liberal constitution founded upon the recognition of Christianity as a real power in the State, and idols were destroyed throughout the land. Thus a total revolution was effected in the political and religious state of Madagascar, and the Government set itself steadily to consolidate its power, to organise the newly-established laws, and to preserve peace. General security prevailed, and under the guidance of the numerous missionaries order and decorum, with an increase of general morality, was observable. All went well, but in the years 1882 and 1883 France again picked a quarrel with Madagascar, and war ensued, during the course of which owing to the behaviour of French officials to British subjects England was very nearly involved. The trouble lasted till 17th December, 1885, when a treaty of peace was signed, by which a kind of French political protectorate was established, while they pledged themselves not to interfere with the interior administration of the Hovas. How they have fulfilled their pledges recent events have shown. It is owing, no doubt, to our firmly establish position at the Cape and Zanzibar, now rendering Madagascar of little importance to us, that France is being allowed to proceed unhampered by any but sentimental remonstrance. The French have won the victory, but doubtless ere long they will find once more, that it is a case of *le jeu ne vaut pas la chandelle!*

J. R. M.

DEATH SENTENCES COMMUTED.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CAREER.

AN ENGLISH LUNATIC IN AUSTRALIA.

A special meeting of the Cabinet was held yesterday morning to consider the cases of two men recently sentenced to death. In the case of John Wilson alias Holmes, who was convicted at the Central Criminal Court, before Mr. Acting Justice Backhouse, on the 1st instant, on a charge of having inflicted grievous bodily harm upon Edwin Nelson Hampson with intent to murder, and against whom sentence of death was recorded, the Cabinet decided to commute the sentence to penal servitude for life. The other case which came before the Cabinet was that of Frederick Whitely, who was convicted at the Dubbo Circuit Court, before Mr. Justice Simpson, on the 4th instant, of the wilful murder of his wife, and sentenced to death. The jury recommended the prisoner to mercy on account of his previous good character and the provocation received. In this case the Cabinet, after considering the whole of the surrounding circumstances, recommended the commutation of the death sentence to penal servitude for life. A meeting of the Executive Council was held afterwards, at which the recommendations of the Cabinet in regard to the two prisoners were approved.

In regard to Whitely, the police reports speak of him as having always borne a good character, and he is spoken of by intimate acquaintances as "a quiet, stupid, careless, easy-going sort of fellow." He was nicknamed "Melancholy Fred," from the fact of his appearing sad and melancholy.

The convict Wilson has had a rather strange career, and evidence supplied by the Agent-General shows that he is—or, at any rate, was—a dangerous lunatic. The evidence which led to his conviction on the 1st instant will be fresh in the minds of the public. It was of a very extraordinary character—so much so that at first it was not believed. Briefly, it appears that his victim, Hampson, was induced by the prisoner to insure his life in two sums of £100 and £500, and to transfer them to the prisoner, and to sign a blank piece of paper, on which the prisoner afterwards drew up a will in his own favour. Wilson then asked Hampson to meet him on the night of the 24th June last. He did so, and they went to the edge of a cliff near the Iron Cove Bridge. Here Wilson tried to poison Hampson, and then pushed him over the cliff. Hampson fell 16ft. and broke one wrist. For this Wilson was convicted and sentenced to death, and the sentence has now been commuted as already mentioned. The more remarkable part of the story, however, is supplied in a letter from the Agent-General, who was cabled to by the New South Wales Government to obtain particulars of the prisoner's career in England. It appears that the prisoner's real name is Cecil Long, son of a Dr. Long. The Agent-General in a letter dated 16th August, 1895, says he made application to the Commissioners in Lunacy, and obtained the following information:—On the 21st January, 1890, Cecil Long was admitted into Holloway Asylum, described as "very sullen and violent." On the 6th March, 1890, he was transferred to Bethlehem Hospital, from which he was discharged "relieved, but not cured," on the 20th June, 1890. On the 14th June, 1892, he was "run in" to Norwich City Asylum as a wandering lunatic. In the same month he was transferred to the Norfolk County Asylum with "suicidal tendencies, violent and dangerous to others," having threatened the lives of several persons and also the attendants. On the 17th September, 1892, he was transferred by his father to Northampton Asylum suffering from "mania and wild delusions." On the 3rd of March, 1893, he was removed from there by his father, and sailed for Australia "quite insane, and very dangerous." After this date the Commissioners in Lunacy had no record regarding Long. The Sydney police reports show that Long was known in Sydney as Henry Dalrymple. He came from England about three years ago. He occasionally sold cheap jewellery and other articles, and was one of the men who cried out for the respite of the notorious burglars Montgomery and Williams, and had one of the petitions for signature. He had had also been in Melbourne, and had adopted any name when convenient to himself. Amongst other names he assumed were John Wilson, Cameron, Long, Capper, Blake, Finnegan, Molyneux, and Paghe. Police reports obtained from Melbourne show that Long while in Melbourne went by the name of Edward Blake, and represented himself as an insurance agent. He lived with a Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, and he induced them to insure their lives. He also got Mrs. Cunningham to sign a blank piece of paper. Blake afterwards gave her a glass of wine, which made her very ill for several days, and her husband told her in future not to take anything from Blake. After her husband died Blake tried to induce her to come to Sydney, but she refused. The insurance policy was still alive when Blake tried to induce Mrs. Cunningham to go to Sydney with him.

LECTURE ON THE IRON INDUSTRY.

A lecture upon the iron industry was given last night in the Protestant Hall by Mr. Joseph Mitchell. The chair was taken by Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.C., who, in introducing the lecturer, said he had undertaken a great enterprise; but the object he had in view was the advancement of the colony. The attendance was very meagre.

Mr. Mitchell, who was received with cheers, said the iron industry was the best of all industries, and that night he intended to give a history of it up to date. He had, he explained, taken great interest in the matter, and he would show why the manufacture of iron should be commenced in Sydney. His sole purpose was to see a trade started that would give employment to the people and do good to the country generally. Afterwards he would refer to iron and its uses. The first portion of the address was devoted to a review of the iron trade in ancient days. As regarded England, ironworks had existed since the days of the Romans. The first attempt at smelting was in the seventeenth century. The improvements in the furnaces were traced, and it was shown that in the last few years the greatest improvements had been in the manufacture of steel. In 1860 the production of iron was 10,752,157 tons, in 1889 the production was 26,435,157 tons. In America in the same period the manufacture of iron had increased from one million to nine million tons. This was a great advance. Still, in Australia, with all the materials at our command, we did not manufacture a single ton. How was this? We had the raw material at our hands, and yet we would not employ it. Where were our labour members? Why did not they do something which would give men work and fair wages? (Cheers.) It would be better than putting men on at Shea's Creek. Look at what was being done in England and America. He was surprised at the apathy shown in Australia on the matter. In New South Wales we imported £2,500,000 worth of manufactured iron annually. All that could be manufactured here. The whole of Australia imported £6,000,000 worth of iron, and all of it could be made in New South Wales. All this money could be kept in the colony. Some such industry as this was necessary. What were we going to do with the rising generation? What profession should we bring them up to? He explained at some length that he was endeavouring to get the manufacture of iron established here on the bonus system. He could do this as a freetrader, and the Premier said to a deputation that waited on him that he agreed with him that the Government would know exactly what a bonus meant, and said that he was glad to see that he was taking such a broad view upon the question. The industry would pay here under proper management. Having all the minerals close together would more than compensate for the increased cost of labour. All the foreshores of our harbour could be utilised for shipment purposes, and if once the business was started here all other kinds of trades would follow. Pig iron could be made and delivered in Sydney at 50s per ton; at the works it would come to only 35s per ton. In the opinion of the experts, bar, rod, and sheet iron could also be manufactured here. The starting of works would involve half a million of money; but if the Government would give an order at 10 per cent. over English prices, he believed that the works would be started.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed at the close to Mr. Mitchell for his address, and a vote of thanks was also accorded to the chairman.

CAMPERDOWN FREETRADE and LIBERAL ASSOCIATION.

The monthly meeting of the Camperdown branch of the Freetrade and Liberal Association was held in the Camperdown Town Hall on Monday evening. Dr. Kingsbury, president of the branch, occupied the chair. Alderman Morgan was elected delegate to the central council. Addresses on land taxation were delivered by Messrs. F. Cotton and Lonsdale, M.L.A. A long discussion then took place upon the motion:—"That this meeting of the Newtown-Camperdown Freetrade and Liberal Association protests against the action of the majority of the Municipal Council of Camperdown in attempting to interfere with the taxation proposals of the Government." The motion was carried.

SUBURBAN RAILWAY FARES.

DEPUTATION TO THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

Yesterday two deputations in one waited upon the Railway Commissioners with reference to the fares charged on the suburban railway lines. Mr. J. H. Carruthers, M.L.A., Minister for Lands, introduced the gentlemen representing the municipal councils of the Illawarra suburbs; and Mr. Ninian Melville, Mayor of Ashfield, did a similar service to the councils of the western suburbs. The three Commissioners were present during the interview. In one deputation were the Mayors and aldermen of Ashfield, Burwood, Rookwood, Auburn, Granville, Strathfield, Five Dock, Petersham, Newtown, Enfield, and Parramatta. In the other were representatives of the councils of Hurstville, Kogarah, Rockdale, St. Peters, and Marrickville.

Mr. Melville, in introducing the gentlemen, said a great many people in the western suburbs were being forced to leave their residences owing to the high fares charged on the railway. They had no fault to find with the management of the traffic; in fact, they were satisfied completely on this score.

Alderman Cardew pointed out that while other modes of conveying passengers into the city had been reduced to meet the times, notably the steam boats and omnibuses, no reduction had been made in the railway fares. It might be stated that in England the suburban rates were higher than in Sydney, but one must remember that there the lines were in the hands of private companies, which had to work them at a profit, whereas here the lines were in the hands of the State, and should be run for the public convenience.

Mr. Joseph Abbott represented that the rates between different stations on the suburban lines were too high.

Alderman Clayton (Mayor of Rockdale) said he agreed with a good deal that had been said with regard to the rates on the suburban lines, but they who travelled on the Illawarra branch had to put up with an inferior class of rolling-stock and a less efficient service than the others. They desired improved accommodation and a faster service.

Alderman Moorhouse (Mayor of Marrickville) said that a short service was not calculated to develop the suburbs as they should be developed.

Other speakers pointed out that if reduced fares were instituted there would be a great increase in the suburban traffic.

Mr. Eddy, in replying to the representations made to him, thanked the deputation for the congratulations offered to them on their reappointment to office. He hoped that at the end of their second term the public would be as well satisfied with their management as they now appeared to be. Referring to the question of first and second class travelling, he said he had been particularly struck with the fact that a great percentage of the public in this colony took the first-class carriages. He did not know a country in the world where so many people travelled first-class as here, and this in face of the fact that in many parts of the world there was a distinct movement in the direction of adopting the second in place of the first, and third in place of the second—where there was a third-class grade. Of course the same tendency was being felt here, but in a much less marked manner. It had been stated that while the fares by other means of communication between the city and suburbs had been reduced in accordance with the bad times—notably the steam ferries and 'buses—the railways had kept up the prices. One must remember in making a statement of this kind that the Railway Commissioners stood in a very different position from others. An enormous amount of their capital was sunk in permanent way, viz., £31,000,000, and the amount of interest payable on this outlay was the same whether the times were good or bad. The Commissioners were very much in sympathy with cheap railway travelling, and would do all in their power to bring down the prices, where it was found to be practicable. The revenue from the railways was £1,850,000 in excess of what it was in 1888, and the whole of this had been earned by an expenditure of £37,000, showing that it was the management alone which had brought about this result. They were, as a matter of fact, continually reducing fares; but it was for them to say what were the most important matters to take in hand first. The main suburban line and the suburban section of the Illawarra line enjoyed the lowest scale of passenger fares in the colony. They had extended the radius of these fares since taking office, and had reduced the suburban charges at Newcastle, where, however, they were still higher than in the neighbourhood of Sydney. As soon as it was found to be possible they would extend the radius of those fares to Richmond, Penrith, and Campbelltown, and this they were anxious to do before reducing the charges on these suburban lines. Again, they had to look after the interests of their country clients, in order to give them facilities for carrying their produce to market as cheaply as possible. A good deal was said of the empty carriages that were sometimes noticed on the suburban lines, but as a matter of fact in the mornings and evenings they were taxed to their fullest capacity, and an increase in the traffic, as suggested by one speaker, would simply mean that the carriages would be more crowded during the busiest hours of the day. If the traffic could be spread more evenly over the day, and it could be guaranteed that there would be increased business during what was now the quiet part of the day, it would be a different matter. The Victorian suburban passenger revenue amounted to £574,874, while ours was worth £228,782. There were, of course, some very low rates in the neighbourhood of Melbourne, but that was due to exceptional circumstances, such as competition with trams and 'buses, and they would find that places situated a mile or two further on had to pay abnormally high rates to make up for this. When he was in England he accumulated a number of facts as to what was being charged on the railways there. In London—taking six of the most important companies for the purpose of comparison—he found that our fares in nearly every instance were materially below what was charged there, and they had a population of five millions behind them. It was not just, therefore, to say that our fares were excessive. Taking the fares between Sydney and Ashfield, a distance of five miles, our fare for first-class single ticket was 6d. From Euston to Willesden, on the London and North-Western, it was 9d; from Liverpool-street to Forest Gate, on the Great Eastern, it was 9d; King's Cross to Woodgreen (Great Northern of England), 10d; Paddington to Ealing (Great Western), 1s; Waterloo to Chelsea (London and South Western), 8d; and from London Bridge to Bedlam (London, Brighton, and South Coast), 8d. Our second single fare was 5d, while the figures on the other companies named were 6d, 7d, 8d, 9d, 6d, 6d; and their third-class as compared to our second were 5d, 5d, 5d, 5½d, 4d, 4d. The comparison of return fares showed an even greater difference in favour of our fares. Taking a longer distance, say from Sydney to Liverpool, 22 miles, our first-class single was 2s 4d, while the companies named charged the following rates for the same distances:—2s 6d, 1s 5d, 3s 6d, 3s 9d, 3s 9d, 4s, 3s 8d. Our second single was 1s 4d, and their rates were for third-class—1s 4½d, 1s 11½d, 1s 9d, 1s 9d, 1s 7½d, 1s 9½d, 1s 10d. It was the same also with regard to return rates. One must also consider that the reduction on the main suburban lines beyond one mile by 1d in each single fare and 1½d on each return and 1½ per day on season tickets would mean a loss of revenue to the railways of £34,000 a year. The public would not thank them for a small reduction of this amount, and where were they to recoup themselves for the loss of revenue? During the last three weeks there had been a falling-off in revenue from all lines of £38,000. Mention had been made of the saving by the fall in prices, but the reduction in the price of coal and stores had only amounted to £733 for the last 12 months on the suburban section. As to the accommodation, the Commissioners had increased the mileage on the main suburban line by 90,000 miles per annum, or 25 per cent. in excess of the year ended December, 1887. On the Illawarra line, suburban section, the mileage had been increased by 60,000 miles, or 50 per cent. On the North Coast line from Strathfield to Hornsby they had put on 74,000 additional miles, or an increase of 250 per cent. On the Granville-Liverpool section there was an increase of 12,000 miles, or 25 per cent. He did not think, therefore, that they had been at all niggardly in providing for the passengers. With regard to the carriages, the Commissioners had, since taking office, built 17 complete new suburban trains, and these were all running now. If the Illawarra people had not received their fair share of these, he should see that they did. The trains on the suburban lines, too, were running true to time. From a return for the four weeks ending the 5th October, he found that not one suburban train ran more than two minutes late, and more than three quarters of them were absolutely to time. He would like to point out also—and this was a very important matter—that the suburban lines were not paying interest on the capital expended. There was a wrong impression with regard to the position of the suburban lines. He had seen it stated that they were paying for the losses on country lines, but that was a grave misapprehension. The same idea seemed to have got abroad in 1887, and the then Commissioner had a special return worked out, which he communicated to the press, and it was published in the *Sydney Morning Herald* on 30th December of that year. It was there made clear that the return on capital on the main suburban lines was only 1·47 per cent. The present Commissioners had had a similar return prepared, charging everything as low as possible. He found that the earnings from the time that the previous return had been made out had risen from £123,400 to £142,500. The expenditure, which was then £98,000, had been reduced by the present Commissioners to £94,900. The net earnings had been increased from £25,000 to £47,000, thus increasing the net return from 1·97 to 3·42 per cent. The whole of this had been effected by economical working. Dealing with the suburban section of the Illawarra line, the result was worse still. It was not paying 1 per cent. on the capital expended. Treating the Illawarra traffic as local traffic—for they were not entitled to any consideration from the working of the Kiama section—he found that the earnings were £36,000, and the expenditure £33,600. He thought it was wise to let them know the true position, in order that they might see how impossible it was at this time to give them any reduction in fares. The deputation might be sure, however, that the Commissioners would do what was wished as soon as it was possible.

SOCIETY OF ARTISTS.

A formal meeting of the committee of this society was held at the Rink, York-street, yesterday. It was decided that the consideration of the new rules should be postponed till the 30th November.

FUGITIVE NOTES.

Of the making of new and startling stage effects there would appear to be no end. In Shakespeare's day they had to act the material part of "The Tempest" as well as the dramatic portions; and down to quite a recent day the art of the stage carpenter was unknown. Irving was the first to change all that. He smelt the taste for realism before it had absolutely raged over everything, and knowing that he could act on occasion, wisely determined to dazzle the public first in the upholstery line. It was a brilliant success. When it dawned on people that they could see real Carara marble steps, real Brussels carpets, genuine old Toledo blades and Milan armour, archæological remains (guaranteed genuine), and Directoire dresses, bought first-hand from a decayed French nobleman, they began to crowd the Lyceum, and Society gave up the fashion-plates of Bond-street, and visit the Lyceum. That made Irving. When he had established the connection he threw off the mask of an elaborate art furnisher and began to act in earnest. Naturally this disgusted a great many, but it attracted others, and ever since the celebrated theatre has been the converging point for two great streams—those who wanted to see how Richard III. could be shown on the stage, and those who were anxious to know the peculiar kind of Liberty velvet that Richard III. affected in his doublet. Then, of course, the realistic departure spread to every walk of the drama. In the sensational play now it is no use having a strong plot, and an eminent leading lady, unless you have a waterfall, a steeplechase, and at least one mining disaster, and we are rapidly getting away from even these praiseworthy attempts to keep pace with current demands. The public insists on "living types" as another step in advance. That is to say, the person who wins the bicycle race in the second act, and thus secures the favour of the blameless heroine, must be really the champion bicyclist of the world; the man who is held in captivity by a band of Cherokee Indians will have to be an individual who is known to have genuinely suffered in this direction; and the murderer of the famous detective and the celebrated card-sharp will all have to be drawn from their respective ranks in real life—not mere pretenders from the o. p. side. Perhaps when some enterprising manager explodes a real submarine mine on the stage, and kills half the audience, the taste for getting close to life will be satisfied. But not before.

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It is, it may be supposed, very pleasant to many to observe the growing antipathy displayed towards examinations as tests of ability. This feeling has been noticeable in Parliament during the week, when the Public Service Bill was under discussion, and the method of appointing various divisions of the new service were under review. One gentleman modestly explained that he had passed through every branch of the Education Department and the University, and he thought he knew something about the matter. He was greeted with a chorus of disapprobation. What were diplomas and degrees compared with native intelligence?—acquired scholarship, as against original smartness!—and so on. Really, there is very much more in this view from the democratic standpoint than most of us think. If the less you know the better you are qualified to serve the public in the capacity of a member of Parliament, the logical obverse must be that the longer the string of distinguishing letters after your name the more hopelessly useless you are. And as this supposition has been deemed to be tolerably well demonstrated by time, it does no doubt seem wrong to attempt at this stage of our civilisation to saddle intellect by making it learn something. But it is one of those vile prejudices that cling to the governing classes and make them so intolerable to the friends of the down-trodden toilers. In an ideal state of course there would be no test for anything, and any man who was honest and deserving, or well liked in the neighbourhood, or the secretary of a bowling club, would be eligible for the highest appointments in the land. The way such posts as the Chief Justiceship, the Governor's, and the Auditor-General's are kept among a privileged few is getting to be looked on as monstrous. If they can't be put up for raffle under the art union system, why not call for tenders?

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It looks very much as if the Salisbury Government is going to make an attempt to regalvanise that "hopelessly effete" institution the House of Peers; but the dodge, we shall be told, is too thin, and won't work. Everyone knows by this time the leading characteristics of a British peer, as frequently presented for partisan purposes—intelligence of the dimmest protoplasmic order, hereditary insanity, and acquired vice. All these familiar traits have been brought home to us by vivid portraits from those who have never seen but have always shuddered at the very sound of the word "Peers." But now Lord Salisbury has embarked on an insidious policy which English Radicalism (if there is any left) may be relied upon to detect and expose. He raises men of some weight and importance to the Upper House, for both Mr. Plunkett and Baron de Worms are men of more than average intelligence; indeed men who, under favourable circumstances, might have made their mark as a strike committee or at a labour conference. In point of fact, Mr. Plunkett has been recognised for the last 25 years as one of the great orators of the age, second only to Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Bright—and not even second to them on occasion. And this is all the more remarkable since he has been a most sparing speaker during all his long public career, and has never seemed to care for the front-rank honours of political renown. At the great and memorable meeting held to protest against Mr. Gladstone's first Home Rule bill, when Lord Salisbury, and Mr. Rylands, Mr. Bright, Mr. Goschen, the Marquis of Hartington, and Mr. Chamberlain were on one platform, Mr. Plunkett's speech was admitted on all sides to be easily the greatest of all the fine addresses. As for Baron de Worms, he is an ex-Foreign Under-Secretary of much experience, a banker of renown, and a widely versed man of affairs. He, too (according to some popular delusions) will shine like a diamond amongst prehistoric specimens of legislators who encumber the Lords.

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Mr. Gladstone's mind appears to be a perennially active volcano, and all his efforts to slow down are without avail. As soon as he was free from politics he started off to the Kiel festivities, and on the trip across he talked more, ate and drank more, and saw more than anyone else. Then he came back, and in a period of complete rest wrote several abstruse works on theology, an essay on the Homeric colonies or something like that; but these trifling exertions were too much for him, and he had to restrict himself to opening institutes and playing golf. Then he broke out again in full blaze over the unspeakable Turk, and spoke for an hour with all his old fire and force, and now he has sent a "message" to the great Amurrkan nation. In this he returns to an old weakness of his and prophesies. The United States will become the greatest commercial power of the world when it adopts freetrade, and when that happy consummation is brought about, will have 60 per cent. of the world's carrying trade. Even supposing that the Grand Old Man could forecast the future and political events have often proved that he could not, there is something in this utterance that accounts for the bitterness with which a large body of his countrymen have always looked on one side of his character. He always seems to have reserves of admiration for anything not English, and has never hesitated to deliver them with all the conviction and lofty candour that makes them so dangerous. As over 75 per cent. of the carrying trade of the world is held by England, one would have thought that a British statesmen would not go out of his way to tell a foreign Power how to destroy the monopoly. But then Mr. Gladstone is 86, and after all there is a suspicion of humour in that "message." When America is freetrade the happy time is to come. Perhaps when that comes about England will be protectionist—scarcely before.

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The proposal that Judges shall not be permitted to hear cases in which their sons or sons-in-law are interested as barristers or solicitors is a good one, but it hardly seems to go far enough. Why should not Judges be prohibited from having sons and sons-in law, and thus put outside any suspicion of partiality? No doubt this extension of an admirable idea might be objected to as a little drastic, but closer inspection will reveal its fairness. A Judge holds a position of enormous favour and tremendous responsibility; the salary is simply apoplectic when measured by the wages paid to forest-thinners (and, of course, that is the proper standard of comparison for all salaries), the work is so simple that a child can master it in three lessons, the hours are easy, on an average from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Added to these advantages, a Judge has the priceless privilege of being criticised in a free and candid manner by the papers when occasion may demand, and he has his vacation time, which he can put in reading Acts of Parliament, or simply waste (if he is an idle man) in getting up the latest precedents. Surely, with all this, it would not be too much to insist upon judicial celibacy. At any rate it is pretty certain that the rule about sons and sons-in-law would prove abortive. Sons and sons-in-law are so cunning! and the probability is that they would put on false whiskers, and call themselves Tomkins, or Jones, and still continue to plead before their guilty pa's. If Judges were removed from the scenes of their labour in hermetically-sealed cases, and carefully guarded till the time came for them to open the courts on the following day, some good might be effected; but whilst they are allowed to go about and mix with their fellows, and have sons and sons-in-law, the case seems hopeless to the Parliamentary intellect.

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THE SOUTHERN CROSS SHIPMENT OF STOCK.

LANDING THE CATTLE AND SHEEP AT DEPTFORD.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL COMMISSIONER.)

LONDON, Sept. 13.

The steamer Southern Cross, which sailed from Sydney at 5.15 p.m. on the 9th July last with 550 cattle, 29 horses, and 488 sheep, arrived at Gravesend at 9 a.m. on the 11th instant. Thus it will be seen that the stock were 63 days at sea, and as the loading commenced at the Pyrmont Wharf, Sydney, on the 1st of July, on which day 120 bullocks were put on board, after lengthy journeys by road and rail, it may be said that the animals of which the shipment was composed were about 80 days on their way from their pastures to the great English market. Even before this is written the cable has flashed to Australasia the news that there died during the sea voyage no fewer than 82 sheep, 52 cattle, and one horse. Worse still, in the landing three bullocks and one sheep were so much injured that they had to be slaughtered. This is a heavy bill of mortality, and, as it nearly all falls upon insurance companies, will seriously affect future shipments from Australia.

I was most anxious to board the Southern Cross as soon after her arrival as possible. With Mr. Bergl, I was at Gravesend at an early hour, and saw the steamer slowly steam up the mouth of the Thames. We then put off in a tugboat, and were on board immediately after the usual health inquiries were answered. The captain and officers were rather surprised to find me in London. The cattle men had passed through a bad time, and were glad to reach port. Externally the Southern Cross was very rusty and dirty, but we soon ascertained that all her deck fittings were standing. In board she was almost as clean as when she left Sydney, and all visitors agreed that for a cattle boat she was wonderfully clean.

THE CATTLE.

The work of inspection was soon commenced, and after all the pens on deck and below had been visited the impression left on my mind was that more than three-fourths of the cattle had done well, in fact in many instances had improved on the voyage; that about an eighth of them (nearly all Durhams) were in very bad condition, tucked up, with their hips and ribs standing out; that the remaining eighth had fallen away considerably. It was plain that the Herefords and Devons had proved the most successful voyagers. There were two Devons in perfect show condition. The small cattle of the three breeds—Durham, Hereford, and Devon—had done much better than their larger and more leggy fellows. There were no signs of horning or of rough treatment, but much hair was rubbed off, and the bullocks as a whole were as quiet as so many pet lambs. Nearly all the deaths had occurred among the stock in the holds between decks. Commencing forward, No. 1 hold had lost 3 out of 55, No. 2 hold 8 out of 69, No. 3 hold 10 out of 70. No. 4, which was very hot, being near the boilers, lost 12 out of 59, and Nos. 5 and 6, right aft, about 9 out of 121 head. On the well deck, forward, which was temporarily roofed in, the 54 cattle had no loss, but in the after well deck 4 died out of 52. On the bridge deck there were 14, and on the poop 26 head, and not one of these died. The balance of the deaths occurred in the closed compartment amidships over the bunkers.

THE DEATHS ON BOARD.

The deaths were distributed all over the voyage. For instance, the ship sailed on the 9th, but before the 14th, when she put into Wellington, New Zealand, for coal, she had lost three bullocks and one sheep. Between Wellington, which she left on the 16th of July, and Monte Video, which was reached on the 11th of August, there died 18 cattle, 29 sheep, and one horse. The horse's death was due to his slipping down at night and pulling back on his halter when down. Before the halter was cut the animal had sustained such injury to the throat that he died about 14 days afterwards. Between Monte Video and Gravesend there were lost 31 cattle and 52 sheep. The last death occurred on the night of the 10th instant. The two big bullocks, Durhams, which were to dress as much as from 1500 to 1800lb., died almost simultaneously about a fortnight before London was reached. A remarkable feature of the losses is that of the 100 head of cattle, the only ones consigned, not more than four died—one of R. Logan's and three of George Loder's—and of the 25 consigned sheep sent by Carlo Marina, of Moppity, Young, only one died. All the other losses were among Bergl and Brabbin's own stock.

THE VOYAGE.

The weather up to Cape Horn, which was rounded on 5th August, was rather unfavourable, with head winds and rough seas. For five days the steamer had to ease down and merely keep head to the sea. If this had not been done all the forward deck gear would have been swept away. At the Horn the weather was bitterly cold and the water in the deck tanks frozen. At and near Monte Video it was cool and fine, and from 25th August to the 8th instant it was very warm. During this heat there were days when the thermometer registered 95° in the holds. Special windsails were rigged and steam jets used in the ventilators, but Mr. Partridge, who was in charge of the stock, condemns the jets and suggests fans similar to what are used in the American cattle boats.

CONDITION OF THE SHEEP.

Of the 488 sheep shipped about three-fourths were placed in roofed double tier pens on the forecastle deck. These were wide pens, almost about the size of ordinary railway trucks used for sheep, and the feeding and watering troughs were only along one side. The effect of this was that the sheep at the back could not get to the troughs, and through this cause and the exposed situation, cold, &c., all the mortality, except in the case of one of the sheep on the bridge deck, occurred in these forecastle pens. The loss of 82 out of 488 is an enormous percentage, and more than three-fourths of the sheep which were placed forward landed in much worse condition than when shipped in Sydney. The sheep on the bridge were in first-class form, and I fancy the 25 merinos improved. All the remainder were ordinary crossbreds—Lincoln or merino.

HORSES.

Of the 29 horses eight were consigned from Messrs. Binnie Bros., and 21 were purchased by Messrs. Bergl and Brabbin from Messrs. White of B-Iltrees. It was one of the latter lot which died. When shipped they were all in first-class form, and were of the active Clydesdale stamp, a style of animal which is much used in this great city. Now as to the conditions on the 9th instant, although every one said the horses did well, they were unmistakably unfit to go direct to the saleyard. You can bring a horse or horses a long voyage in large roomy boxes, and land them almost as well as when they went aboard; but when cooped up closely, as they were in the forecastle of the Southern Cross, with no room to clean or handle them, a 60 days' voyage leaves its marks. I thought the horses much tucked up, and so did Mr. Bergl, for he at once, as soon as they were landed at Thames Haven, sent his lot out for a month's rest and special treatment on grass. I heard last evening that one of the Messrs Binnie is in London, and shall endeavour to discover what will be the result of his lot's sale.

LANDING THE CATTLE AND SHEEP.

Mr. Philcox, manager of Deptford, and some of his best wharfmen, boarded the Southern Cross at Gravesend. No time was lost before commencing preparations for the landing. The Southern Cross steamed slowly up the 25 miles of river, and at 3.30 p.m. on the 9th instant was off the famous old dockyard. There were about a hundred people on the wharf, Queensland, New South Wales, and Victoria being strongly represented, and I was speedily called upon to answer hundreds of questions put by press representatives and others. The gangway was soon rigged, and before dark Mr. Philcox had managed so well as to get off about 200 head of cattle. Then at night efforts were made to get the lower hold lots on deck. The ship lay at the wharf in the soft mud all night and in the morning, and at about 4 p.m. next day was completely discharged of all her stock except the horses. A Yankee boat would have been emptied of as much stock cargo in less than hour. The cattle and sheep were placed in the quarantine yards, where they were carefully examined. There was a market held yesterday, but none of the Southern Cross shipment were offered.

OPINIONS OF THE STOCKMEN.

Those who wish to hear a variety of opinions should send stock to Deptford. I was very much amused by some of the remarks made as the first lots of this shipment landed. "Coarse ugly beasts." "They'll never do." "They're bound to die badly." "If this is the best they can send, I cry for their trade." One agent told me in strict confidence that it would be very hard to sell such stock. I confess that I lost patience, and asked, "What do you want? Here you have a variety, three distinct breeds, and plenty of medium-sized cattle." Mr. Bergl simply listened and smiled. "Bless your heart," said he, "I am accustomed to all this kind of thing. The more they run the stock down the better for me."

THE FODDER AND WATER.

There was a big barge of fodder and bedding left after the voyage. The hay for the greater part was good, but some of the lucerne was mouldy, rough, and unwholesome. The corn was all right, and the supply of water fairly well maintained all through the voyage.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS.

While the Southern Cross was coming up the river there was a big discussion on the question of how stock should be accommodated on future voyages. During the present one Mr. Partridge had to make many important alterations in the fittings. All the horizontal bars or divisions between the cattle pens were taken up and placed close together vertically, which is the American plan. This saves much rubbing off of hair, and prevents bruising. It also gives more room. Houlder Brothers' representative contended that 3ft. by 9ft. per bullock is too much, and that 2 2-3ft. by 8ft. would serve. This would allow cheaper rates of carriage. Mr. Partridge displayed models of what he considered suitable pens for cattle and stalls for horses. He stated that the horse-stalls on board were all wrong, and that the sides should be sliding boards, placed horizontally, so that they could be easily moved and that attendants might get to the horses easily. I will close by giving the opinion that much of the heavy mortality which I have described was due to the great deal of rough handling which the cattle put into the lower holds received during the shipping. It will be remembered that the bullocks had to be hauled around corners and downwards by main force. Many of the cattle which had to be killed early on the voyage were very badly bruised, and were unfit to salt. In cases where the stock were found not much injured all the carcases were salted and packed in casks. A bullock intended for shipment should not be knocked about in any way in his droving, railway carrying, or shipment. The bullock which is roughly handled is almost certain to die during a lengthy voyage. The suggestion of allowing smaller space might serve when Australia sends to England small dishorned or polled steers, say to dress 700lb., such as the Americans are now regularly shipping. A shipment of Australian Devons would be very successful if landed well at Deptford.

ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS.

We learn from Mr. P. B. Elwell, electrical engineer to the Railway Department, that his visit to Europe and America, although a hurried one, was very interesting and instructive, and that he has gathered a great deal of information which will be of great service to the department. Mr. Elwell left Sydney at the beginning of April last. He was commissioned to inquire into the developments which had taken place in electricity as applied to railway and tramway traction, lighting, and the transmission of power generally. He states that he visited the chief cities of Europe, calling, amongst other places, at Marseilles, North Italy and Switzerland, Paris, Berlin, and London, making the latter place his headquarters for some time. Whilst in England he visited Birmingham, Liverpool, Manchester, and other large provincial cities. From London he went to America, and visited Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Buffalo, Detroit, Minneapolis, and St. Paul. Whilst journeying to the latter place Mr. Elwell was in a railway collision. He gives a very graphic description of this, and praises the coolness and courage of the passengers highly, but he speaks in very disparaging terms of the conduct of the railway officials. Mr. Elwell says that his report will necessarily enter into detail and deal with technicalities. As the general result it will not show that there have been any great discoveries made, neither have there been any sensational developments in the matter of electric traction. So far as Mr. Elwell could learn, there is not likely to be any unusual outcome in the immediate future. At the same time the progress made is remarkable. There have been very great improvements as regards the matter of cost, and the electrical mechanism has been very much perfected. He noticed that electrical tramways were becoming more popular both in England and on the Continent. As a matter of fact, where new tramways were being laid down, scarcely any other kind were thought of. In each city he went to he paid attention to what he thought to be most interesting, whether it was in the actual working of the different systems, in the matter of manufacturing, or in other ways. In some places he studied telegraphic and telephonic work. He paid a good deal of attention at different times to the matter of the lighting of cities by electricity, and noticed that this kind of light was fast taking the place of gas both in England and on the Continent. In the matter of detail, very great improvements have been made in all branches of the science, and with these he deals most fully in his report. He has now completed this, and it will be in the hands of the Railway Commissioners in a few days.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

PRIZE MEETING.

On Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock the thirty-fifth prize meeting of the New South Wales Rifle Association will be commenced at the Randwick Rifle Range. The time for receiving entries was extended from the date originally fixed, and as a result numbers more are being received daily. The Nursery and the Randwick matches will be fired on Monday, and the meeting will extend over the whole week, extra series, continuous, vanishing target, and revolver teams' matches being fired each day. The presentation of prizes will take place on Saturday afternoon, when Lady Darley will distribute the guerdons of their skill to the successful competitors. A military event has been arranged to take place on Thursday which will enliven the ordinary proceedings of the meeting. "A" Battery Permanent Artillery will engage in a "musical ride," an obstacle display, and a display of arms. The Mounted Brigade will engage in an alarm race, and a "rescue" race in pairs, and there will also be some other events. On the same afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock, the general meeting of members of the association will be held. An advertisement elsewhere notifies that the teams for the Company Challenge Bugle and the Schools' Challenge Shield matches must be made to-day, and the entries for the Champion Teams' Match must be made not later than noon on Monday. Arrangements have been made for a camp on the range, and a number of the competitors will remain under canvas during the meeting. There will be a hospital tent for any cases of sickness or accident, and a medical officer will be on duty each day. The ordinary arrangements have been made for the regulation of the camp. Captain A. P. Luscombe, New South Wales Artillery Regiment, will act as camp commandant, and Sergeant-Major Cooper, general staff, as camp quartermaster.

FIRE BRIGADES BOARD.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board on Wednesday afternoon there were present—Messrs. Charles Bown, J.P. (chairman), Walter Church, J.P. (vice-chairman), Alderman J. C. Beare, J.P., John St. Vincent Welch, J.P., Edward J. Love, and Alderman William Taylor. A return laid upon the table showed that 426 alarms of fire had been received during the nine months ending 30th September, being an increase of 123 upon those received in the similar period of last year. The calls during August and September were unusually numerous, being no less than 84 and 83 respectively, or 167 in 61 days. The superintendent of fire brigades reported a great improvement in the pressure and flow of water in the lower levels, and the prospect of a further improvement on the completion of the Centennial Park reservoir; that, consequent upon this, it would be possible to replace manual fire engines by hose waggons in some districts. Therefore, he requested authorisation to call for tenders for the construction of two hose waggons, according to specifications drawn by himself. Granted. The tender of Messrs. P. J. Elliott and Co. to suppy the Metropolitan Fire Brigade with coal for a term of 12 months was accepted.

Eno's Fruit Salt is a pleasant beverage which supplies the want of ripe fruit; may be taken as an invigorating and cooling draught under any circumstances from infancy to old age, and may be continued for any length of time, and looked upon as being a simple product of fruit. By its use many disastrous results may be entirely prevented. In the nursery it is beyond praise. Caution: Legal rights are protected in every civilised country. Examine each bottle, and see that the capsule is marked "Eno's Fruit Salt." Without it you have been imposed on by a worthless imitation. Sold by all chemists. Prices, 2s 9d and 4s 6d. Prepared only at Eno's "Fruit Salt" Works, Pomeroy-street, New Cross-road, London, England, (by J. C. Eno's patent.—[Advt.]

SOCIAL.

Lady Darley and the Misses Darley, attended by Captain Young, were present at the Hambourg recital on Tuesday evening.

The Misses Darley, attended by Captain Dangar, were present at the complimentary benefit to Miss Annie Montague (Mrs. Charles Turner) on Thursday afternoon.

Lady Darley will on Monday next, at St. Vincent's Hospital, preside at a meeting of ladies, summoned to consider the best means of promoting the success of the annual St. Vincent's ball, which is to be held soon after the arrival of the Governor, Lord Hampden.

His Excellency the Naval Commander-in-Chief, Admiral Cyprian Bridge, attended by his staff, left Sydney in the flagship, H.M.S. Orlando, on Tuesday last for Melbourne, and proceeds thence to Adelaide, and later to Western Australia; so that it will be a considerable time before the Admiral is again in Sydney.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Darley, attended by Captain Dangar and Captain Young, A.D.C., and accompanied by the Misses Darley, went to the French Ball on Monday last. The success of the dance at this time speaks well for the efforts of the committee, for the popularity of the cause, and the sympathy of the public. Lady Darley wore a handsome black satin gown open in front, and showing a rich tablier of white and silver brocade, the bodice trimmed with black lace. Lady Innes was in buttercup satin with Parma violets on the bodice and velvet ribbons matching, the flowers framing the bodice V shape back and front. Madame Blanc's handsome peach-blossom brocade was worn over a petticoat of white silk. Mrs. Theodor Boesen in steel-grey shot silk with black lace and velvet trimmings, relieved by deep damask red roses. Lady Abbott's white silk was veiled with black lace and trimmed with black velvet. Madame Rougier wore a lovely Paris gown of pale heliotrope surah, with white tulle embroidered with violets veiling the sleeves. Miss Walker (Rosemont) wore cream silk with apple-green ribbons. The ladies in the naval set all wore white dresses, which showed the coloured ribbons most effectively. Miss Aston Watkins' white silk gown was ornamented with a profusion of heliotrope flowers. Mrs. E. L. Samuel wore a charming toilette of fancy pink silky material, handsomely trimmed with black jet guipure for shoulder straps, &c. Mrs. John Watkins wore handsome Oriental embroidery on her black dress, and there were many other effective toilettes worn amongst the large company present.

Mrs. W. P. Martin, at her residence, Annery, Darling Point, on Wednesday last provided a most enjoyable afternoon for a very large company. The hostess received her guests in the drawing-room, which was profusely decorated with beautiful roses whose fragrance filled the room. The verandahs aided in accommodating the visitors. A German band, stationed on the lawn, played a good selection of music. The morning-room was occupied by Miss St. Hill, whose fortune-telling skill made many of the guests consult her, and in the dining-room inviting refreshments were tastefully arranged and deftly served. With so many attractions, it will be readily understood that the gathering was highly successful, and the hostess was warmly congratulated upon the novel entertainment. The company included Mrs. P. Close and Miss Bowyer, Mrs. Thorne and Miss Thorne (the latter delighting all by her singing), Mrs. and Miss Weston, Mrs. James Marks and Miss Marks, Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mrs. R. Steer Bowker and Miss Marks (Glenrock), Mrs. Shepheard Laidley, Mrs. Learoyd, Mrs. Montgomerie Severn, Mrs. Rothe, Mrs. E. L. Samuel, Mrs. F. Aronson, Mrs. P. J. Collins, Mrs. Clay Young, Mrs. Angel Money, Mrs. Le Patourel, the Misses Hill, Miss Joseph, Miss Maclean, Miss Moffitt, the Misses Warden Graves, the Misses Whittingdale Johnson, &c., &c. Mrs. Martin was assisted by her sister, Miss Price, in her hospitable duties, and the afternoon passed most quickly and pleasantly.

The passengers on board the R.M.S. Monowai on her last trip from Sydney, in spite of boisterous weather, found opportunity to give a grand concert for the benefit of the Shipwreck Relief Society on 26th August, for which the programme of sixteen numbers proved very entertaining. Miss Macgregor contributed two pianoforte solos. Professor Warren sang "In Old Madrid" and "Adieu, Marie." Miss Carey's two songs were of very opposite character, "Whisper and I Shall Hear," and "I Don't Want to Play in Your Yard." Major Harris sang "Vanity" and "Off to Philadelphia," and Mr. Dods contributed "Private Tommy Atkins" and "Off to the Rio Grande," whilst Mr. Harry Rickards, who was the manager, with Mrs. Rickards and their daughters, provided six items. Mrs. Rickards sang "Yer you are." Miss Noni Rickards gave selections from "A Gaiety Girl." Miss M. Rickards sang "Back among the old Folks," and the sisters joined in a double hornpipe. Mr. Harry Rickards contributed "How they Apologise," "Our Little Nipper," "The difference between East and West," "Twiggy-voo," and "E Dunno Where 'E Are," with how much amusement to the audience may well be guessed. Mr. A. Mactagga as the accompanist for all had a good share of work. One Australian passenger is puzzled to find that in San Francisco "theatres are open and races held on the first day of the week as well as the last, and that shops are open and work carried on as though no day of rest existed."

Mrs. Frank Osborne, at Wymston, Chiswick, on Monday last entertained the ladies connected with the Children's Aid Society. The chief feature in the decorations of the drawing and dining rooms was the lavish display of beautiful roses, which were much admired. Several ladies contributed songs, and others gave selections from the pianoforte works of Mendelssohn and Liszt. Amongst the company present were Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. L. Cohen, Mrs. Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cotton, Mrs. Goodlet, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs Solomon, &c., &c. The trip up the Parramatta River and returning was a pleasant part of the afternoon.

Aphelta, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. M'Crae, was on Thursday afternoon the gathering place of a large company, for whose entertainment Miss M'Crae had arranged some very enjoyable music. Mrs. and Misses M'Crae welcomed their guests on arrival, and the double drawing-room was soon largely occupied. Signor Podenzana pleased all hearers with his 'cello solo pieces, in which he was accompanied on the pianoforte by Miss M'Crae. A serenade by Badine Simple Aven and a solo by Thomee were selected. Miss M'Alister played pianoforte selections by Adolf Jensen and by Tschaikowsky, and Miss Mills contributed violin solos, whilst Miss Booth-Jones, Mr. W. Scott, and Miss M'Crae sang some interesting songs with much taste. The dining-room was appropriated to the refreshments—the warm afternoon making the ices especially welcome—and the morning-room adjoining was also brought into requisition. The visitors included, in addition to those already named, Mrs. Dowling and Miss Dowling, Mrs. White and Miss Benson, Mrs. and Miss Joseph, Mrs. Russell-French and Miss Moffatt (N.Z.), Mrs. R. Steer Bowker, Mrs. Ellison Rich, Mrs. Greaves (Bondi), Mrs. Clay Young, Mrs. Philip King, Mrs. and Miss Nott, Mrs. F. Orr, Mrs. Coldham, Miss Dickenson, Mrs. and Miss Wiegall, Mrs. Cecil Cowper, Mrs. Watson and Miss Mackay, Miss Griffiths, Miss Macarthy, the Misses Loughnan, Misses Trickett, Miss and Miss Effie Stephen, Miss Merewether, Miss W. Butler, Mrs. Hickson, Mrs. F. J. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton, Mrs. Wigley Severne, Mrs. G. Marr Thompson, Mrs. and Miss Howard, Miss Wallis, Miss Macauley, Miss Salomons, Miss Leary, Miss Beatrice Airey, Mr. Loris and the Misses Whittingdale Johnson, Miss Rodd, Miss Lillian Suttor, Miss Moffit, the Misses Rundle, Miss Muriel Mackenzie, Mr. Hinchcliffe, and Mr. Want: Mr. M'Crae joined the company later, and the entertainment was very spirited and agreeable. The fact that the occasion was one of the last in which Miss M'Crae would be present owing to the near approach of an interesting event, and that Miss Violet M'Crae will soon follow her sister's example, gave additional zest to the gathering, and many good wishes for the future were coupled with acknowledgments of the enjoyable afternoon.

During the recent visit of 35 members of the Sydney Liedertafel to the Shoalhaven district, in company with Miss Colbourne-Baber, Miss Galvin, Mr. Harrison White, Mr. Straus, and Mr. H. Glassford Clyne, they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Leeming at their residence in Terrara. Miss Colbourne-Baber sang several of her best selections, and Mr. Clyne delighted the company with two or three excellent recitations. Two days were spent in visiting the Cambewarra Mountain and making river excursions; and the company so much appreciated the treatment of the Shoalhaven people that they have stated their intention of again visiting the district at the earliest possible opportunity. Mr. Robert Thorburn placed several coaches, drags, and other vehicles at the disposal of the company, free of charge; and in recognition of his kindness, the Liedertafel, conducted by Mr. J. Callaghan, serenaded Mr. Thorburn at his residence in Nowra the night prior to the company's return to the city.

In honour of their daughter's birthday Mr. and Mrs. F. Aronson on Thursday evening devoted themselves from 7 to 10.30 to the entertainment of about 50 little people. Dancing occupied the young guests for some time, with intervals for cakes, after which a magic lantern, with a large number of slides, made a very interesting portion of the evening. The supper room was thrown open, and amid beautiful roses and pale blue ribbons an abundant supply of good things was revealed, to which, regardless of probable horrors from indigestion, the little folks did ample justice. Dancing, alternating with games, followed until the departure of the juvenile guests, who had enjoyed themselves most thoroughly. The youthful company included Miss and Master Burne, Misses Amy and Muriel Carter, Miss Réné Cohen, Miss Kathleen Collum, Master Stanley Daniels, Masters Davis, Miss and Master Dean, Masters Dibbs (Kailoa), Miss and Masters Fesq, Miss Eileen Franckel, Miss Gibson, Misses Goldsmidt, Misses Gullett, Misses and Master Haigh, the Misses Harvey, Masters Austin and Claude Hill, Master Hindmarsh, Masters Eric Lloyd and Kenneth Andrew, Miss Miln, the Misses and Master Norman Macdonald, Masters de Possel, Miss Isobel Reading, Master Frank Rundle, Miss Ailsey Smith, Master Vincot. Mrs. Aronson, in addition to the children, invited the following friends:—Mrs. B. D. Cohen, Mrs. James Dean, Miss Festag, Miss Franckel, Miss Hoskings, the Misses Whittingdale Johnstone, Miss May Manning, the Misses Miln, Miss Anna Moffitt, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Young, Mr. Franckel, Mr. J. Galbraith, Mr. Harley M'Kenzie, Mr. Reading, who shared with the host and hostess in amusing the little people; and after their departure the elders continued the dancing with evident pleasure.

As noted in the advertising columns, a fair is to be held in aid of the Thirlmere Home and Fresh Air League in the Exhibition-building, Prince Alfred Park. Lady Darley is president. The Mayoress of Sydney (Mrs. S. E. Lees), Lady Windeyer, and Mrs. Edward Hutton are the vice-presidents, and a large committee of the two institutions to be benefited is actively engaged in furthering the necessary work. At a meeting of the committee on Thursday last at the Town Hall, the Mayoress presiding, a ground plan of the building, showing the stalls and tea-rooms proposed, was submitted and approved, and lots for the distribution were drawn. Lady Darley, at the request of the committee, wrote some time ago to his Excellency the Governor, Lord Hampden, asking him to open the fair. The date chosen for the ceremony is Thursday, 28th November. In addition to the attractions of the ordinary fair there will be exhibits for competition in numerous classes, and entertainments will be arranged for each day, some of which have the charm of novelty in addition to other merits. It is hoped by means of this fair to secure the necessary provision for Thirlmere for the coming year, and to enable the Fresh Air League to prevent disease by sending delicate children and women for a few weeks' country air.

On Wednesday, 9th October, at St. Andrew's Church, North Waratah, was solemnised the marriage of Miss Ida Beatrice Mosman, daughter of the late William E. Mosman (District Surveyor for Wids Bay), and granddaughter of the late Archibald Mosman, of Mosman's Bay, Sydney, with Sydney, third son of Oliver Wansey, of East Maitland. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Archibald Shaw. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, Mr. Edwin Thomas, was attired in a handsome white bengaline silk, trimmed with chiffon; white hat trimmed with ostrich feathers and white heather. A white shower bouquet, the gift of the bridegroom, completed a charming and effective costume. The bridesmaids—Miss Thomas and Miss Mollie Thomas—wore pink hailstone muslin over pink-white lace; sailor collars, picture hats trimmed with pink roses. Their shower bouquets of lovely pink roses and pearl brooches were gifts from the bridegroom. Mr. A. J. Viadin, of the Bank of Australasia, Newcastle, was best man. After the ceremony the party drove to Mount Eden, North Waratah, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. Thomas, where they held a reception and received the congratulations of their guests. Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Wansey left by the 7 p.m. train for Sydney, en route to Katoomba, the bride looking charming in a pretty travelling dress. The presents were numerous, and included some beautiful and valuable articles. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wansey (parents of the bridegroom), Messrs. Oliver Wansey, jun., Henry and Acland Wansey (brothers), and Messrs. W. B. Sharp (Newcastle) and Harold E. Wyndham (brothers-in-law) of the bridegroom, Rev. A. and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Millard, Mrs. and Miss Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Tighe, Mrs. A. Tighe, Mrs. Lovick Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. and Miss Logan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Windeyer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cross, the Misses Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Eales (Duckenfield), Mr. and Miss Decent, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marshall, Messrs. Percy and Arthur Thomas (cousins of the bride), Mr. and Mrs. J. Ranclaud (Newcastle), Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Creer, &c.

Bellambi House, the residence of Colonel Owen, was recently the scene of a delightful dance. About 50 ladies and gentlemen responded to the invitations issued by Mrs. Owen, and amongst those present were several visitors from Sydney. On the lawn the Bellambi Brass Band was stationed, and played appropriate music for the several dances in excellent style. The grounds presented a charming appearance, gay with bunting and illuminated by Chinese lanterns, and the soft, subdued lights thrown out by varicoloured fairy lamps, which in large numbers were placed around. The ballroom, opened out into a large marquee, where tempting delicacies were displayed amidst a profusion of beautiful flowers.

On Thursday, the 10th October, with all the aid that a bright sun and clear sky could give to the occasion, a wedding was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Maitland, when Miss Clara Wolfe, the second daughter of the late Mr. J. E. Wolfe, of Springfield, was united to Mr. George Rourke, eldest son of Mr. John Rourke, of Bolwarra House. The Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington, M.A., LL.B., incumbent of St. Mary's, officiated, assisted by his son, the Rev. Clive Yarrington, M.A. The bridegroom was supported by his brother, Mr. Harry Rourke, as best man. Precisely at 12 o'clock the bride entered the church with her brother, who afterwards gave her away. She was accompanied by her bridesmaids. A carpet of white flowers on the tiled floor of the chancel at the place where the bridal couple were to stand had been arranged by two girl friends in compliment to the bride. A large gathering of the immediate relatives of the two families, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Prentice, intimate friends, were present. At the conclusion of the service the Rev. W. H. H. Yarrington addressed the assembly, referring to the long association and valued friendship to the church of the two families thus united, and added that Mr. and Mrs. George Rourke would always have the best wishes of the people of Maitland. Mr. G. F. King, the organist of the church, played appropriate music, and when, after signing the register, the bride and bridegroom passed down the aisle, congratulations met them on all sides, and the stirring strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" accompanied their departure, whilst four tiny maidens in white frocks scattered flowers from their baskets in the path of the bride. A merry peal of bells rang out when the organist had finished, the company meanwhile proceeding to Springfield, the residence of Mrs. Wolfe, where the wedding breakfast was served to about 30 guests. Toasts were proposed, and congratulations and cheers given for the happy couple, who soon after breakfast were driven to the railway station—the bride wearing a pretty travelling dress of grey tweed, with hat to match—whence they left for Sydney, en route for the Blue Mountains for their honeymoon. The wedding gifts were generally serviceable and handsome, as well as numerous and costly, and were greatly admired; the practice of giving cheques as wedding presents increases, and several were sent to the bride.

The Ashfield Presbyterian Church was filled by a large and fashionable assembly on Thursday, 3rd October, on the occasion of the marriage of the Rev. A. F. Maldon Robb, B.A., of Brighton Beach, Victoria, to Miss Nellie Nelson Allen, second daughter of Mr. Hector Allen, Heathcot, Ashfield. The church was beautifully decorated by young lady friends of the bride with a number of pot plants and ferns; wreaths were festooned across the platform; an exquisite arch of flowers was erected, under which the happy couple took their places for the service. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bridegroom, the Rev. Alex. Robb, of Geelong, Victoria, assisted by the Rev. John Auld, M.A. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore an elegant costume of white corded silk, the bodices veiled with chiffon; the wedding veil was of Irish lace. The bridesmaids were Miss Allen (sister of the bride), Miss Robb (sister of the bridegroom), and Miss Lorna Wood. The groomsmen were Mr. Arthur Davies (Melbourne), Mr. John S. Cargill, and Mr. Hector W. Allen. Each of the young ladies wore white embroidered muslin dresses with chiffon trimmings and corded silk sashes, and carried yellow and white shower bouquets with yellow streamers. Mrs. Hector Allen (the bride's mother) wore a very handsome black silk dress with guipure and silk-braided vest. Mrs. Robb, sen. (the bridegroom's mother), wore a beautiful dark-green bengaline trimmed with Chantilly lace fichu. After the ceremony an adjournment was made to Heathcot, the residence of the bride's parents, where a very recherché breakfast was laid in the conservatory. Mr. J. T. Walker proposed the health of the bride and bridegroom, and the latter replied. Other toasts were proposed and duly honoured. The wedding presents numbered 150 handsome gifts, among which were several cheques for substantial amounts. The following were present at the breakfast, viz.:—Mrs. Alex. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Darley, Mrs. George Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Bloxsome, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cox, Miss Forbes, the Rev. and Mrs. Robb, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodlet, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Goodlet, Dr. and Mrs. Marden, Dr. and Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker, Captain and Mrs. W. Cargill, Rev. P. F. and Mrs. Mackenzie, Mrs. and the Misses Nisbet, Mrs. and Miss Seaward, Miss Johnston, Mr. and Miss Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Forster, Mr. J. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Rhoades, Mr. and Mrs. James Little, Rev. John and Mrs. Auld, Mr. and Mrs. John Aitken, Miss Maggie Aitken, Mr. and Miss M'Culloch, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan M'Master, Mr., Mrs., and the Misses Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Binsted, Mr. and Mrs. Fincham, Mrs. Waller, Miss Pringle, Mr. John S. Cargill, Mr. Arthur Davies, Mr. and Mrs. L. Douchar, Mrs. F. A. A. Wilson, Mr. Ted Wilson, Miss Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. H. Gilfillan, Major and Mrs. M'Cutcheon, Mr. G. R. Campbell, Miss Pickard, Mrs. and the Misses Knight, Mr. and Miss Moore, Mr. J. H. G. Auld, Mrs. Simson, Miss Wark, Mr. and Mrs. William Laing, Mr. and Miss Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherill, Mr. John Harrison, Miss Harrison, Miss Alice Harrison, Miss C. Lamrock, Miss F. Armstrong, Captain and Mrs. Ticehurst.

The Christian Chapel, Campbell-street, Sydney, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday, 2nd October, 1895, on the occasion of the marriage of Mr. James Munra, jun., to Miss Denah Walker. The ceremony was performed by Mr. J. Colbourne, evangelist. Mr. J. C. Walker, brother of the bride, was best man. The bride was accompanied by eight bridesmaids, the Misses Walker (3), Munro, Ryder, Elliot, Connell, and Ross. The wedding breakfast was served at the Railway Institute, and afterwards the 200 guests who were present were entertained with dancing. The wedding presents displayed in the hall were numerous and costly.

On Thursday evening the benedicts of Manly gave a grand ball in the Aquarium Hall, Manly. The committee—Messrs. W. H. German, Sadler, Douglas, and Smellie—were untiring in their efforts to secure success, and were well rewarded. Under the able supervision of Mrs. H. E. Farmer, Mrs. Milne, and Mrs. H. F. Roby, the decorations were most effectively carried out. Bowers of greenery were arranged, and flowers grouped wherever space permitted. About 180 visitors were present, and the ladies, in handsome toilettes, added much to the brilliant and charming scene. Mrs. H. E. Farmer, the Mayoress of Manly, wore black and pale blue crepon; Mrs. Walter German, pretty combination of crepon and chiffon; Mrs. Roby, black and green silk; Mrs. King, black satin; Mrs. Moore, black silk; Mrs. Plomley, black and pink merveilleux; Miss Plomley, black with red roses; Mrs. Smellie, black, with jewelled lace; Mrs. Hawkes, grey satin; Miss Moore, red silk; Miss Badgery, black; Mrs. Douglas, heliotrope, with chiffon. There were also present Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian, Mr. Wyld, Mr. Cargill, Mr. Littlejohn, Lieutenant Falke, Lieutenant Brewer, and many other visitors from Sydney. Dancing was kept up with spirit throughout the programme to beautiful music, which, added to the courteous attention of the committee, made the ball the most enjoyable of the season in "Our Village." The Co-operative Ferry Company placed a boat at the disposal of the Sydney visitors, most of whom returned thereby at 1 a.m., much pleased with the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wood returned to Jesmond House, Newcastle, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Macdonald, on Saturday last, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Gray, the Rev. and Mrs. Edgar, and other friends at dinner, the Kamilaroi Gardens supplying lovely poppies and white roses for the table decorations.

At Mrs. M'Cathie's, 80 King-street, Costume Orders are being rapidly completed for ladies intending to grace the Melbourne Race Festivities. In Millinery, too, some of the loveliest Models yet shown in Sydney are selling from this house for approaching summer festivities.—[Advt.]

Mesdames Watt and Lord, Allora, 30a Hunter-street Tea and cold luncheon room.—[Advt.]

POLICE COURTS.

CHARGES OF WINDOW SMASHING.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Addison, S.M., Thomas O'Shannassey was ordered to pay £3 for damages and a fine of £3, or to serve four months in gaol, for maliciously injuring a plate-glass window, the property of William Beasley. The same accused was further charged, in company with John Williams, with maliciously injuring two panes of plateglass, the property of Augustina Pitrioni. He was ordered to pay £1 10s for damages and a fine of £2, in default four months' imprisonment, sentences to be cumulative. Williams, who was also before the Court, was discharged. The same accused were further charged with maliciously injuring a plate-glass window to the extent of £4 15s, the property of Albert Christopher Brownen. In this case Williams was also discharged, the witnesses not being able to positively identify him. O'Shannassey was ordered to pay the damages and a fine of £3, in default, four months' imprisonment.

CHARGES OF ASSAULT.

Thomas Williams, 29, carter, was charged at the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Addison, S.M., with assaulting, in company, John Brennan, wood and coal merchant, of Sussex-street. It was stated that at 5 p.m. on Thursday prosecutor, with some friends, came out of the polling-booth in Phillip Division, and were going into an hotel, when accused, with 15 or 16 others, set upon them. Accused kicked prosecutor behind the ear, and another man struck him in the eye. Prosecutor's friends were also assaulted. Accused was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

At the Central Police Court yesterday John Driscoll, 32, was fined 40s, with the alternative of 21 days' imprisonment, for assaulting John F. Ranson.

ATTEMPTING TO STEAL.

Thomas Wilson, 27, and Daniel Corbett, 30, were charged at the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Addison, S.M., with attempting to steal in the dwelling-house of Ellie Hayes, in George-street South, a quantity of lady's clothing and jewellery, valued at £4 15s, the property of Elizabeth Ellen Fallon. On the night of the 13th instant the accused engaged beds in the restaurant of Miss Hayes. The next morning they were found leaving prosecutrix's bedroom in the same house. The bedroom had been ransacked. Each accused was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

CHARGES OF STEALING.

Arthur Langford was charged at the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Addison, S.M., with stealing a brief-bag, some clothing, and a silver watch, a purse, and £1 5s in money, and other articles, valued in all at £20, the property of George Macintosh, a teacher at the Technical College. Prosecutor stated that on the 28th August he left a room at the college for an hour, and during his absence the articles mentioned were stolen from it. Some of the articles were subsequently pawned. Accused was committed for trial at the Court of Quarter Sessions on the 31st October.

Bernard O'Rourke was charged in the Water Police Court with having fraudulently appropriated to his own use a purse containing 25s and a gold ring, the property of Kate Ellis. Prosecutrix accidentally dropped her purse in the street, and accused picked it up, but omitted to restore it to the owner. He was ordered to be imprisoned for two months, with hard labour.

James Baker, 60, a clerk, appeared before Mr. Smithers, S.M., in the Water Police Court on a charge of having stolen 10 axehandles, the property of Robert James Stewart. He elected to be summarily dealt with, and was sentenced to three months' gaol.

ALLEGED WOUNDING.

In the Water Police yesterday, before Mr. Smithers, S.M., Peter Muller, 62, a clerk, was charged with having maliciously wounded one Albert Valentine. For the prosecution it was stated that on Saturday night last the two men had a quarrel near the prosecutor's shop in Sussex-street, and without warning Müller drew out a knife and struck at Valentine with it. Prosecutor put up his arm to ward off the blow, and in doing so was cut across the back of the hand. Müller, who reserved his defence, was committed for trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions. Bail was allowed, himself in £80 and two sureties of £40 each.

ALLEGED CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

Abdool Rahm, 31, a cook, was charged before Mr. Smithers, S.M., in the Water Police Court yesterday with having criminally assaulted a young woman named Margaret Scott. He was remanded till Tuesday next. Bail was refused.

A POLICEMAN ATTACKED BY A DOG.

At the Balmain Police Court yesterday, before Captain Fisher, S.M., a constable named James Reid proceeded against Thomas Buttell, on account of his dog attacking him whilst in the execution of his duty. A fine of 19s 10d, including costs, was inflicted.

A DOG FIGHT.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Delohery, S.M., Robert M'Ewan was charged with having in the University Park, Camperdown, on Sunday, the 13th instant, caused to be cruelly illtreated two dogs. The evidence was that accused went into the park on Sunday morning with a bull-dog, which he allowed to fight with another dog, and urged both dogs to tear each other to pieces. When the police arrived the dogs were both bleeding, and were very much cut about. Accused was fined 20s; in default, seven days' gaol.

HAVING STOLEN PROPERTY IN THEIR POSSESSION.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Delohery, S.M., Thomas Thomlinson, age 19, George Wilson, age 18, Sydney Deedley, age 16, and Percy Enfield, age 16, were charged with having one copper boiler in their possession, reasonably suspected to have been stolen. They were each ordered to pay a fine of £1; in default, seven days' gaol.

INCITING A PRISONER TO RESIST.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Delohery, S.M., Sub-inspector Elliott proceeded against Samuel Bennett, of Leichhardt, for having, on the 7th instant, in Parramatta-road, Petersham, incited a prisoner to resist Constable Aitken while in the execution of his duty. He was fined £1, and ordered to pay costs of court; in default, seven days' gaol.

SELLING RAILWAY TICKETS.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Delohery, S.M., Edwin Coole, of the Railway Department, proceeded against Mrs. Scott, of 46 Australia-street, Newtown, for having sold two railway tickets, contrary to the bylaws of the department. Mr. Coole stated to the magistrate that on the 2nd instant he saw on advertisement in one of the daily papers advertising the sale of the tickets in question, which were two return halves, available from Sydney to Bourke at a special holiday excursion rate. The following day witness sent a junior porter to ascertain about the matter and to purchase the tickets. Defendant asked the porter £1 each, but subsequently sold them to him for 19s each. Defendant was fined 20s and costs in each case; in default, seven days' gaol.

A BAND CONTEST.

At the Parramatta Police Court yesterday, before Messrs. F. W. Edwards, P.M., and R. Harper, J.P., Frederick Mitchell proceeded against P. J. Brennan on two counts for using insulting language towards him at Rosehill Racecourse on Eight-hours Day. Mr. F. Gannon appeared for the complainant, and Mr. H. Leffen for the defence. The complainant stated that he was a member of the Parramatta Model Band, also a butcher. On the day mentioned complainant was on the Rosehill ground, with the band, for the purpose of competing in the band contest, when accused came up to him, caught hold of him roughly, and said, "A word with you. You can't play here to-day; you are a blackleg. Pick up your traps and get off the ground. If you do play I will call the push together, and we will howl you down. If that won't do, we'll bottle you." Witness went into the enclosure, and was followed by Brennan and a number of butchers. When about to play the butchers swarmed round them, and the band was undecided about playing. While playing Brennan came towards him, exclaiming, "That's the scab." Witness went on playing as well as he could, though he was very much upset. A number of witnesses corroborated this evidence. Peter J. Brennan, for the defence, deposed that he was in the company of Messrs. Ware, Townsend, Garrett, and Paine. He spoke to Mitchell and said, "I hear you are going to play in the band contest to-day. You take my advice, pack up your traps and clear off the ground as soon as you can. The members of the union are determined that you shall not play here to-day." Mitchell asked why, and he replied, "You have no necessity to ask me why, after blacklegging and scabbing at Bourke and Auburn." In the first case defendant was fined £5, with costs £1 5s 10d, and two witnesses at 2s 6d each; and in the second case £1, with costs £1 5s 10d. In a similar case, Mitchell against James Garrett, defendant pleaded guilty, and was fined £2, with £1 10s costs.

SHORTHAND WRITERS AND TYPISTS' SOCIETY.

The fortnightly meeting of this society was held at 49a Castlereagh-street on Wednesday evening. Mr. J. E. Cunningham presided. The business of the evening was a "mock banquet," the toasts being—"The Queen," proposed by Mr. Cunningham; Mrs. Armitage responded. "The Ministry and Parliament," proposed by Mr. Edge, responded to by Mr. Garlick. Mr. Morison proposed "The Society;" Miss Loosemore responded on behalf of typists, Mr. Fulwood for shorthand-writers. "Advance Australia" was proposed by Mr. Cunningham; Mr. Walker responded. Mr. Levien proposed "The Ladies;" Miss Barrow responded. "The Press" was proposed by Miss Wearne; Mr. Morison responded.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18.

In Chambers.—(Before the Chief Justice.)

HIMMELOCH V. COHEN.

Mr. L. Armstrong, instructed by Mr. Lewis Levy, appeared for defendant, John Cohen, and moved for an order to set aside a writ of ca. re. issued at the instance of the plaintiff, Isaac Himmeloch. Mr. C. G. Heydon, instructed by Mr. T. M. Slattery, appeared for the plaintiff to show cause. It appeared from the affidavits that Cohen owed Himmeloch the sum of £20, represented by an overdue promissory note made jointly by the defendant and Louis Barnard. Having heard from several sources that defendant was about to leave the colony for Johannesburg, he obtained a writ of ca. re., upon which Cohen, on the 9th instant, was arrested. He was afterwards released on a bail bond. Defendant, in his affidavit in support of the present application, did not deny that he had expressed an intention of proceeding to Johannesburg, as he could not make a living for himself and family in Sydney. He further stated that on the 7th December last year, subsequently to the making of the promissory note, he sequestrated his estate, and had not yet applied for or received his certificate. After the maturity of the note, and even after his bankruptcy, he paid a considerable amount by way of interest, but he had since been advised by his solicitor that his bankruptcy absolved him from that liability. He had no intention of leaving for Johannesburg to evade his creditors, and in fact since his bankruptcy he had paid for everything he had received. Plaintiff, in his affidavit in reply, said that he was entirely unaware when he took steps to obtain the ca. re. that defendant had become bankrupt.

Ca. re. set aside, without costs.

RE ARTHUR CAMPBELL (DEANE AND ANOTHER, RESPONDENTS).

Mr. Rich (of Messrs. Lawrence and Rich) appeared for Mrs. Combes, and said that on the 2nd instant Arthur Campbell, of Hamilton, hotel-keeper, made an application upon which his Honor directed that certain moneys, books, and papers should be lodged in court. That order had since been complied with. It appears that on the date mentioned Campbell, who was trustee for a Mrs. Combes under the will of her father, the late James Marshall, applied for an order directing Messrs. Deane and Deane to deliver up the moneys, books, and documents belonging to the estate, the respondents having in the interests of the beneficiary not only declined to do so without an order of the Court but to pay the trustee the amount of £73, which he claimed to be due to him as commission. His Honor, in delivering his judgment, said that he had very great difficulty in the case, inasmuch as the party beneficially entitled under the will was not before him. She had made an affidavit on behalf of the trustee in which she said that she desired all deeds and documents to be handed over, but he was told that she was only just of age and recently married, and he did not feel justified in making the order under the circumstances. It appeared that the father of this young lady died some years ago, leaving a considerable amount of property to his wife, and upon her death to his daughter on coming of age, for her sole and separate use. He named his wife and Mr. Campbell trustees, and the latter was the surviving trustee. It was only very recently that he filed his accounts in the case and received his commission, and Mr. Justice Manning refused to allow him further commission, seeing that the accounts were not filed for years after they should have been. He subsequently demanded £73, and Mr. Deane, seeing at once that there was an attempt in some way or other to get money from this young beneficiary to which the trustee was not entitled, resisted the claim. However, the young lady was advised, in order to save litigation and annoyance, and to bring the matter to a close, to offer him £25, which he saw fit to decline. He afterwards wrote to Messrs. Deane and Deane asking that the whole of the money in the estate should be placed in his hands, but they most properly declined to do anything of the kind, and if they had handed this money over they would have been guilty of a breach of trust. A suit in Equity was commenced, and some negotiations took place, and Mrs. Combes wrote a letter under circumstances not disclosed, and which Messrs. Deane and Deane were certainly not justified in acting upon. They had better bring the moneys and documents into court, and he should like to see Mrs. Combes, in order to ascertain upon what terms the matter had been settled. Mr. Campbell must pay the costs of the application.

Mr. Rich said that Mrs. Combes was the sole beneficiary under the will, and the matter was to be wound up and the estate transferred to her. Mrs. Combes was at present in court, and it was her desire that the moneys and documents should be handed over to him as her solicitor, and it would be his duty to carry out whatever orders the Court might make.

The Chief Justice (speaking to Mrs. Combes) said that she was aware that this matter had been before the Court on a former occasion, when some claim was made on the fund by a person acting for her, which he considered of an exorbitant character. Mr. Justice Manning allowed him a certain amount, and he was not entitled to anything else, and if she paid him anything more she did it of her own motion. He directed that the moneys and documents should be handed out to her solicitor, Mr. Rich.

In Equity.—(Before Mr. Justice Owen, Chief Judge in Equity.)

THE NORTH SYDNEY TRAMWAY AND INVESTMENT COMPANY (PART HEARD).

Mr. R. E. O'Connor, Mr. Knox, and Mr. Rich, instructed by Messrs. Johnson, Minter, Simpson, and Co., appeared for Mr. N. F. Giblin, the liquidator of the North Sydney Tramway and Investment Company, in support of an application for an order upon certain contributories of the company to pay to the liquidator certain amounts which he contended were due on £66 13s 4d per share in the company; Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., and Mr. Lingen, instructed by Mr. W. G. Parish, appeared for J. R. Alcock and J. Hogan; Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., and Mr. Gordon, instructed by Mr. Maddocks Cohen, for John Grice and William Smith; Mr. Lingen, instructed by Mr. W. G. Parish, for J. R. Carey; Mr. A. H. Simpson and Mr. Gregory Walker, instructed by Messrs. Macnamara and Smith, for H. B. Higgins.

The arguments in this case were resumed and concluded, and his Honor reserved judgment.

A. M. P. SOCIETY V. GIBLIN AND OTHERS.

On the motion of Mr. Harriott, who, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, appeared for the plaintiffs, a decree absolute for a foreclosure in the first instance was granted, Mr. Bucknell (of Messrs. Johnson, Minter, Simpson, and Co.) appearing to consent.

NORTON V. UPTON.

Mr. Harvey, instructed by Mr. L. F. Heydon, appeared for the plaintiff in support of a motion for an injunction to restrain defendant from selling soap bearing or stamped with the words "Ferret brand; L. W. Norton and Co.," or selling soap in such a form or with such marks or brands as would induce the public to believe that they were buying the soap of plaintiff. By consent the matter was adjourned for a fortnight, with a view to a settlement, and the injunction already granted was continued on the same terms as before.

CLARKE AND ANOTHER V. WOODWARD.

There being no appearance in this matter, it was struck out.

INTESTATE ESTATES.—Orders of court to collect have been granted in the estates mentioned hereunder:—Charles Muller, of Grenfell; Charles Croft, of Inverell; William Taylor, of Macquarie-street Asylum; A. F. Webber, of Burindi; John Henry Bailey, of Sailors' Home, Sydney; Jeremiah Cronin, of Lake Austin, W.A.; Philip de Marc, of Uralla; Richard Martin, of Marulan; William Thomson, of Eden; and Johanna Shine, of Sydney.

(Before Mr. Justice Manning).

THE TOWN AND COUNTRY LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Mr. Wallace, instructed by Messrs. Wallace and Robson, appeared for the abovenamed company, and moved for an order to call a meeting of depositors and shareholders to consider a scheme of arrangement proposed by the board. The arrangement proposed is to allow the existing rate paid to depositors to continue until the 30th proximo, and after that date to be reduced to 2½ per cent. per annum. Another portion of the arrangement to be proposed for sanction is that the depositors should not be paid until all the money, including interest, due to mortgagees and other secured creditors had been fully met, after which all moneys received from the sale of property should be permitted to accumulate until it reached 5 per cent., when it would be distributed pro rata among the depositors.

The application was granted, and his Honor fixed the 13th November, at 8 p.m., at the Protestant Hall, as the date for the meeting; depositors and shareholders to vote separately, and the report of the meeting to be made to the Court on the 19th November. His Honor also directed that special attention should be called to clause 4 of the scheme and its relation to clause 2. Clause 4 provided that deposit receipts might be accepted in full payment for any property bought by the depositors from the company. He did not think that was a proper thing to do without calling special attention to it, and he was of opinion that deposit receipts ought not to be taken in full payment.

Probate Jurisdiction.—(Before the Registrar.)

The following were granted:—Probates: Elizabeth Sculer, William Banks, Robert Fletcher, James Bligh Wall, Philip Dunphy. Administrations: Michael Kennedy, James John Kelly, John Gilbert, Samuel Pate Jones, Emma Robinson, William Henry Trewick, Frederick Twohey, George Jackson, Letitia Stewart.

In Bankruptcy.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Manning.)

MOTION FOR DIRECTIONS.

Re Joseph Poole. This was a motion for directions under section 91. Mr. Gordon, who appeared for the Crown, said it appeared in this particular matter the Crown obtained a judgment against the bankrupt for £6 4s 3d for the rent of a telephone. Prior to obtaining the judgment Poole sequestrated his estate. The Crown wished to be paid their debt, and the question arose as to whether they had the right to take possession of goods in the possession of the official assignee. After looking into the matter they came to the conclusion that after the actual date of the sequestration order the property passed to the official assignee. The position was this, the Crown was not bound in any way by the sequestration order or the regulations under that order. The Crown was entitled to get payment of its debt from the official assignee as a preference. The Crown asked the official assignee for payment, but he thought the Crown ought to comply with the rules of the Bankruptcy Court. What the official assignee desired was that he should be reasonably satisfied, and that there should be some record filed with the Court; therefore he suggested that a letter containing a statement of the debt from the head of the department where the debt arose should be sent to the official assignee, which he thought would be quite sufficient. Mr. Giblin submitted that the debt should be proved in the usual way. After argument, Mr. Gordon said he would be glad if his Honor would suggest the course that should be pursued, and he would recommend it to the department.

His Honor said that he thought, as the Crown claim was to be paid out of moneys held by the official assignee or an officer of the Court, or moneys under the control of the Court, that under the rule which invariably applied that a court could not be moved except on oath the claim of the Crown should be sent in duplicate to the official assignee, and should be verified by the oath of some responsible officer who had special knowledge or access to the books of the department, and that such claim and affidavit should be filed in court, so as to be a record to be endorsed by the authority to the official assignee to pay the amount.

MOTION TO SET ASIDE BANKRUPTCY NOTICE.

Re Arthur Joseph Brady, ex parte Edward Keys. This was an application to set aside the bankruptcy notice, but by consent it was ordered to stand over for a week.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Robert H. Eady and J. J. St. Clair. By consent adjourned to the 21st instant.

Re William Albert Notting. Mr. G. Evans appeared for the bankrupt. The Registrar said there was an unsatisfied judgment for assault, and he was therefore bound to suspend the certificate, but having heard the evidence of the bankrupt he was satisfied that a nominal suspension would meet the case. Suspended for one day.

Re Frederick Joseph Henry. The bankrupt appeared in person. There had been no certificate obtained in a former bankruptcy. Adjourned to the 17th December.

Re John Owens. Mr. Fealey appeared for the bankrupt. The Registrar said that the bankrupt contracted debts without reasonable or probable expectation of being able to pay the same. The certificate would be suspended for 12 months from the date of the first application.

Re Thomas Henry Purvis. Mr. Walker appeared for the bankrupt. Adjourned to the 5th November to ascertain the truth of certain statements.

Re John Alexander Hunter. Mr. Payne appeared for the bankrupt. The Registrar said the bankrupt failed to keep proper books, he continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent, he distributed the proceeds of his sawmill business amongst certain creditors, and left two others unpaid. His books did not show his accommodation transactions, and would not disclose his financial position at any time during the three years preceding his bankruptcy. It was admitted that his statement of affairs did not disclose debts owing to him. The certificate would be suspended for six months from the date of the first application.

Re James Condon. Mr. Langdon appeared for the bankrupt. Adjourned to the 12th November for information as to certain contracts.

Re Joseph Solomons. By consent adjourned to the 24th instant.

Re Clement Blomfield. The bankrupt appeared in person. The Registrar said, after hearing the bankrupt and being satisfied that the bankrupt received valuable consideration for the bill of sale given to Alley, and that he consulted his then creditors, who requested him not to file his petition in bankruptcy, and that his bankruptcy was brought about solely by the depression in property since 1893, he ordered the certificate to issue.

MEETINGS AND EXAMINATIONS.

Re Alfred Bell. The bankrupt, a carter, attributed his failure to illness. The public examination was declared concluded.

Re Roland Lumby. The bankrupt said he could not furnish better accounts than the ones he had filed. He could hardly read or write. The public examination was declared concluded.

Re Charles M'Laughlin. The bankrupt, a wood and coal dealer, said his bankruptcy was caused by becoming surety to the Australian General Temperance Insurance Society for a friend. The public examination was declared concluded.

Re Arthur Robert Francis Myers. The bankrupt said he was a journalist. He was bankrupt in Victoria in 1888, but he did not obtain his certificate. The public examination was declared concluded.

Re the estate of James Fitzmaurice Hunt, deceased. The examination was adjourned to 5th November, as Mrs. Hunt, the administratrix of the estate, was too ill to attend the court.

Re Thomas Whittaker. This examination, under section 30, was not proceeded with.

Re Joseph Edwin Levey. This was an examination under section 30, and it was adjourned to 5th November.

Re Clement Henry Guy. This was an examination under section 30, and the bankrupt was questioned by Mr. Hemsley. The examination was further adjourned to the 23rd instant.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Saxton and Binns, of Pyrmont Bridge-road, v. John Young, of Walker-street, Concord. Petition to be heard on 28th October.

Henry Fraser and Frederick Stokes, of Jerry's Plains, Singleton, v. John Babington, of Bourke. Petition to be heard on 28th October.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

Daniel Murphy, of Louth Park, West Maitland, farmer, out of business. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

Reginald Frank Reilly, of Goulburn-gaol warder. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.

FRIDAY.

(Before Judge Murray.)

REES V. BRUCE.—THE ALLEGED ASSAULT.—COMMENTS BY THE JUDGE.

This matter came before the Court on a motion for a new trial. The action, which was one for alleged assault, was tried on Monday last. It was brought by Jane Isabella Rees, of Surry Hills, married woman, against J. R. Baxter Bruce, of Sydney, solicitor, £200 being claimed for damages. The issue raised in the case involved the question whether Mr. Bruce was justified in removing Mrs. Rees from his private office. The jury took the view that he was not, and brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for £5. The question of costs had been reserved till to-day, and a motion for a new trial had also been set down for to-day. Mr. Bruce Smith, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, appeared on behalf of the defendant (Mr. Bruce), and Mr. Rolin, instructed by Messrs. Shorter and Son, appeared on behalf of the plaintiff. The motion for a new trial was abandoned, on the ground that if it was granted and the matter came before another jury that jury might possibly find a verdict for the plaintiff for a larger amount than £5. The only question, therefore, now remaining to be dealt with by his Honor was that of costs. In dealing with this matter, his Honor said that the application for a new trial having been abandoned, he was relieved of the necessity for going into the question whether the verdict of the jury was demonstrably wrong or not; but he would say that it was clear to his mind that the defendant would not have acted in the way in which he did without some show of justification. If the story of the plaintiff was true, then the verdict should not have been for £5 only, but it should have been for a substantial amount. Either the verdict should have been for a substantial amount or for nothing at all. The plaintiff had taken advantage of a technical right to try and get the defendant in as tight a place as possible. The verdict of the jury was of such an extraordinary nature—so inconsistent with the facts of the case in every aspect of the matter—that he (his Honor) thought the defendant's counsel was bound to make the application he did, and in which he might have succeeded if he had prosecuted it. He could not upset the verdict of the jury. He must grant costs on the verdict that had been found—that was, for £5 damages. The new trial motion was dismissed, without costs.

RUSSELL V. SHEEHY.

In this case, tried at Thursday's sitting, Mr. Scholes, who appeared for the defendant, was instructed by Messrs. Iceton and Faithfull.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, OCTOBER 21.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge.—At 10 a.m.: Re estate of W. B. Wadge, deceased, intestate, and 21 Vic. No. 7, petition for payment out; re estate of E. J. White, deceased, and 20 Vic., No. 12, petition for advice. At 11 a.m.: Weiley v. Williams, hearing. Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m.: Australian Banking Company, summons for call. At 11 a.m.: *Daily Post* Newspaper Company, Limited, summons to examine witness. Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: Abbott v. Dudley Coal Company, to settle minutes of decree. At 11 a.m.: Hero Freehold Silver and Gold Mining Company, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Perpetual Trustee Company v. Northern Coal Company, to tax costs. At 3 p.m.: Anstead v. Land Company of Australia, to pass accounts; St. Joseph's Investment and Building Society, to settle minutes of order; Re Faulkner, deceased, reference from curator.

Before the Chief Judge in Equity.—In Bankruptcy.—At 10: In re William Reid ex parte the Bank of North Queensland, application to set aside bankruptcy notice.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—At 11: Examinations under section 30, Doughty Brothers, Patrick Glynn; R. H. Eady and J. J. St. Clair, certificate application.

Before the Chief Clerk in Bankruptcy.—At 2: In re Fry, taxation of the assignee's costs. At 2.30: In re Babb, taxation of debtors' costs. At 3: In re Mott, taxation of the official assignee's costs.

DISTRICT COURT.

Notice.—On Monday, 21st instant, the whole of the remanets of the month of August will be listed, in order that parties wishing to settle their cases in court may do so.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As certain clauses in this measure are framed with the obvious intention of excluding Civil servants from undertaking dual positions, and receiving separate remuneration, I think it would be advisable to insert a clause compelling Civil servants who are commissioners for affidavits to pay all fees received by virtue of such commission into the Treasury, or that they be disallowed making any charge whatever. It is a well-known fact that several of these gentlemen receive very large sums during the year for fees, and a great deal of their time is taken up in connection with same.

Another practice that should be discontinued is allowing Civil servants the privilege of making charges for copying and pocketing the money. If it is necessary to have the copying done, extra clerks should be employed at a salary, and the fees charged for work done paid into the Treasury. The Courts are the chief offenders in this direction. These matters have more than once been brought under Parliamentary notice, and reform in the direction indicated above promised. It is to be hoped that the Premier, who is very desirous of remodelling the Civil Service, will remedy these evils, and if necessary amend the Public Service Bill accordingly.

Oct. 17. I am, &c., H. GREEN.

COUNTRY MILK COMPANY (late BAUMANN'S, 107 Pitt-street.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—October 18.

Darmstadt, German mail steamer, Captain M. Eichel, from Bremen, via ports. Passengers—Mr. C. Brown, Mrs. Gettinger and child, Mr. Aubrey Gwynneth, Mrs. Gwynneth, Mr. Louis Hony, Mr. M. Kelly, Mr. P. Kelly, Miss Kelly, Mr. Alfred Lohmann, Mr. W. Lucas, Mrs. W. Lucas and child, Mr. A. J. Rost, Miss Doris Seidel, Mr. Alfred Schultz, Mr. Otto Schnitter, Mr. A. B. Stanford, Corv.-captain Winckler, Mr. F. Kruger, Mr. Sebastian Hermann, Mr. A. Hattig, Miss Minna Gose, Mr. Wilhelm Nusshar, Mr. John Nicholsons, Mr. Philipp Hoebener, Mr. Max Weichold, Mr. Theod. Dehle, Mr. Soren Hansen, Mr. Olof Johansson, Mr. Carl Thiele, Mr. Paul Oestreich, Mr. Arthur Mochin and family, Mr. Gustav Pinte, Mr. Michel Egan and family, Miss Marg. Egan, Miss Pollie Seal, Mr. John Allen, Mr. George M'Ghee and family, Mr. William M'Ghee, Mr. Thomas M'Ghee, Miss Johanna Grieg, Mr. William Effir, Mr. Frederik Fawell, Mr. R. W. Stevenson. For Brisbane: Miss Janet Wishart, Miss Isabella Davrie, Mrs. Zimmermeyer. Julius Mergell, agent.

Tyrian (s.), 1455 tons, Captain J. D. Joy, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames F. C. Rowe, R. Cahir, J. Davey, S. Wilson, T. Rabbitt, M. Osborne, C. Huxtable, L. A. Lear, C. Greig, E. Foott, Misses A. O'Connell, F. Christie, J. Varey, D. Dewar, M. Lawton, J. M'Gregor, S. M'Millan, F. Hart, L. Phillips, Master J. White, Messrs. R. Davey, R. Cahir, F. Rowe, F. A. Williams, T. Cooke, J. White, W. Sack, H. Robertson, W. Askwith, R. Brennan, W. Reynold, J. Greig, P. M'Taskey, H. Rolpe, G. Gilder, S. M'Nare, M. Oldham, W. Nelson, H. Guthridge, Rev. Gleary, Rev. Phillips, Captain Panter, J. W. Small, F. Nelson, E. Gregson, H. Hollingworth, J. Wane, N. T. Montrose, H. Davis, R. G. Kavanagh, J. Pavey, H. Downey, and 31 in the second cabin. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Burrawong (s.), 391 tons, Captain R. Taplin, from Macleay River 17th October. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hill, Messrs. Kirkwood, Hanney, Johnson, and 4 in the steerage. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Tomki (s.), 560 tons, Captain S. Jackson, from Richmond River 16th October. Passengers—Mesdames Mountsfield, King, M'Gregor, Crawford, Misses Wyndham, Bagot, Messrs. Stark, Strong, Saunders, Myers, Master Crawford, and 4 in the steerage. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Coraki (s.), 326 tons, Captain W. B. Nelson, from Richmond River 16th instant. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Polynesien, French mail steamer, 6483 tons, Captain A. Chevalier, from Noumea. Passengers—For Marseilles: Dr. Reiret, Mrs. Lostalot and family. For Sydney: Mrs. Linton, Mr. St. George, Mr. Darler, Miss Wilkinson, Mr. G. Sauvan, Mr. and Mrs. Faido and family, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, Mr. Bayley, Mr. Sougnet, Mr. Saltierso, Miss Fanny. E. Blanc, agent.

Leura (s.), 1174 tons, Captain J. Clark, from Townsville, via ports. Passengers—Mesdames Whittaker, Duval, T. Barker, J. Wright, F. Earle, T. Higgins and 2 children, J. Moore, H. Young and infant, T. Leslie and infant, F. Poulton, Madame Herbert, G. Newbury, S. Levy, A. Kennedy, W. Harris, F. Richardson, W. Hartley, Misses Campbell, Atkinson, Leslie, Grindley, Hemmings, Williams, Tomlinson, Messrs. F. Duval, W. Lyall, J. Robertson, W. Willcox, J. Cameron, T. Hoglin, W. M'Kella, T. Goldstone, J. Findlay, T. Palmer, J. Downie, C. Crease, W. Richards, F. Thwaites, G. Newbury, A. Newbury, F. Hobbs, W. Barnes, A. Sutton, R. Harding, T. Carruthers, W. Compton, J. Wilson, F. Evan, T. Harper, W. Maxwell, J. Smithers, J. Barker, T. Armstrong, J. Babcock, Masters E. Earle, W. Willcox, H. Young, H. Higgins, and 68 in the steerage. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Namoi (s.), 1414 tons, Captain Skinner, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S. S. Company, Limited, agents.

Sydney (s.), 614 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S. S. Company, Limited, agents.

Cam (s.), 2022 tons, Captain J. Mathias, from Moji 27th September. A. M'Arthur and Co., agents.

Pukaki (s.), 1444 tons, Captain W. A. Pearce, from Port Kembla. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Aswanly (s.), 3535 tons, Captain Murray, from Japan. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—October 18.

Victoria (s.), for Fiji and Tonga.
Glanworth (s.), for Brisbane.
Burrumbeet (s.), for Melbourne.
Indramayo (s.), for Auckland.
Karoo, ship, for Liverpool.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—October 19.

Tekapo (s.), for Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin, and Bluff; Pukaki (s.), for Launceston, via Eden; Rockton (s.), for Melbourne, Adelaide, and Western Australia; Leura (s.), for Melbourne; Tyrian (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Kallatina (s.), for Clarence River; Burrawong (s.), for Macleay River; Sydney (s.), for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—October 18.

Wilcannia (s.), 2718 tons, Captain W. Penten, for Dunkirk and London, via ports.

Derwent, ship, 1890 tons, Captain J. R. Andrew, for London.

Indramayo (s.), 4110 tons, Captain J. Firth, for London, via Auckland.

Lark, schooner, 107 tons, Captain J. E. Hawkins, for Solomon Islands. Passengers—Mrs. Hawkins, Miss Hawkins, and 3 natives.

Glanworth (s.), 877 tons, Captain W. Knight, for Rockhampton, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Pollard and infant, Mrs. Lewis and child, Messrs. J. G. Savage, John G. Asprey, W. J. Mitchell, D. Campbell, Cunnell, R. Rost, C. Brown, Thomas Underwood, Lewis, J. H. Spier, A. Hony, J. Flood, C. Westrope, and 15 in the steerage.

Burrumbeet (s.), 2420 tons, Captain A. H. Thorpe, for Melbourne. Passengers—Messrs. Cocks, Boisland, Massar, Fenwick, J. Porter, Harris, Sharp, Luttrell, Burton, W. Ferguson, Plaver, E. Ferguson, Bencannon, Stuckey, Chalmers, Misses Stevenson, Scurry, Connell, Bellamy, Gregan, Dunn, Cranby, Gibbs, Christie, M'Kenzie, Crossley, A. Crossley, Scott, Davis, Walker, Sullivan, Bosan, Houston, M'Kenzie, Mesdames Jacks, Cocks, Scott and child, Irons, Mulley, Poulston, Smart, G. Bell, Edmond, Keenan, Lawler, Hutchison, Black, Houston, Sharp, Masters Scott (2), and 36 in the steerage.

Thessalus, ship, 1782 tons, Captain John Henderson, for London.

Victoria (s.), 1250 tons, Captain Dan Calder, for Noumea, Suva, Levuka, and Tonga. Passengers—Mrs. Liebor, Miss L. Roberts, Miss Chisholm, and 3 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—October 18.

Coral, ketch, Captain J. Summons, for Camden Haven; Loch Lee, schooner, Captain D. Murray, for Catherine Hill Bay.

IMPORTS.—October 18.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Tomki (s.), from Richmond River: 5 bags horns, 15 bags bones, 700 sacks sugar, 2 bags oysters, 57 bunches bananas, 2 bales skins, 30 cases eggs, 4 casks tallow, 5 coops poultry, 160 hides, 16 kegs butter, 40 logs pine, 30,000ft. sawn timber, 50 pigs, and sundries.

Coraki (s.), from Richmond River: 600 sacks sugar, 24 logs hardwood, 20,000ft. boxwood, and sundries.

Burrawong (s.), from Macleay River: 1636 bags maize, 67 bags bones, 59 cases eggs, 3 cases fish, 3 casks tallow, 10 coops poultry, 80 hides, 8 cans cream, 2 kegs butter, 189 pigs, and 66 packages sundries.

Tyrian (s.), from Melbourne: 2500 bags chaff, 1500 bags bran, 855 sacks flour, 617 bags potatoes, 400 boxes butter, 165 cases dates, 157 ingots zinc, quantity from tubes, quantity excess luggage, 167 bags onions, 100 cases milk, 16 sacks peas, 77 casks cheese, 45 crates vegetables, 30 cases wool-scouring solution, 15 cases drapery, 25 cases wax, 24 cases tea, and quantity of sundries.

Polynesien, French mail steamer, from Noumea: 1945 bags chrome ore, 87 bags coffee, and sundries.

Darmstadt, German mail steamer, from Bremen: 1000 cases candles, 501 cases milk, 147 slabs marble, 6194 packages hardware and ironmongery, 3320 rails, 880 bundles sleepers, 1640 tubes, 61 cases preserves, 160 packages boots and shoes, 10 packages tobacco, 30 cases books, 17 packages machinery, 108 packages drapery, 52 cases cheese, 344 packages glassware, 9 cases pianos, 792 packages wine, beer, and spirits, 32 packages paper, 47 cases cigars, 16 packages woodenware, 29 cases sewing machines, 735 cases vestas, 28 cases maccaroni, 124 cases paste, 70 packages lampware, 53 bags seeds, 100 casks sulphur, 10 kegs peel, 120 cases starch, 265 cases window glass, 30 cases floorcloth, 20 kegs cream of tartar, 50 cases blacking, 50 cases chickory root, 15 cases capsules, 40 drums paint, 1057 plates steel, 60 cases figs, 60 cases oil, 20 cases raisins, 339 packages tea, 30 packages desiccated coconut, 2000 coils coir fibre, 1974 packages general merchandise, and sundries; also 250 tons transhipment cargo.

Leura (s.), from Townsville, via ports: 3200 bunches bananas, 1800 hides, 804 bags bones, 600 bags sugar, 50 bags bonedust, 13 bags sweet potatoes, 49 pieces zinc, 15 packages old metal, 200 bales skins, 177 bales wool, 70 casks tallow, 162 cases tomatoes, 94 cases acid jars, 20 cases pines, 16 cases preserves, 5 casks dried beef, and a quantity of sundries, also a large through cargo for South.

EXPORTS.—October 18.

Indramayo (s.), for London, via Auckland: 30,896 carcases mutton, 5517 carcases lamb, 100 forequarters beef, 31 hinds beef, 28 pieces beef, 20 buttocks beef. From Melbourne: 10,412 carcases mutton, also original cargo from London to New Zealand.

Lark, schooner, for Solomon Islands: 97 tons coal, 2000ft. hardwood, 38 packages tobacco, 69 bags rice, 14 cases spirits, 11 boxes clay pipes, 13 cases kerosene, 25 pieces timber, 84 trade boxes, 20 kegs beef, 40 tins biscuits, 14 packages hardware, and sundries.

Derwent, ship, for London: 7078 bales wool, 8370 bags ore, 500 cases meats, 1698 casks tallow, 531 pieces timber, 30 packages sundries.

Wilcannia (s.), for Dunkirk and London: 2720 bales wool, 1181 hides, 40 bales basils, 150 tons pig iron.

Burrumbeet (s.), for Melbourne: 2 cases stationery, 1300 tons coal, 14 cases fish, 2 bales woollens, 12 casks shale waste, 40 bags nuts, 10 quarter-casks brandy, 26 chests tea, 8 trunks samples, 5 packages metal polish, 22 bales waste paper, 66 bales rags, 84 casks oil, 32 bags oysters, quantity drapery, 17 bales cotton, 20 cases meal, 3 cases wine, 84 hides, 3 packages paper, 2 packages plants, 2 coils rope, 2 bundles goatskins, 2 bundles basils, 62 bales waste cuttings, 1700 bales, 3500 cases fruit, 2 casks soda, 1 case ammonia, 1 case paper, 31 drums potash, 10 drums naphtha, 94 packages merchandise, and sundries.

Thessalus, ship, for London: 8413 bales wool, 38 bales glue pieces, 108 bags antimony, 185 bags chrome ore, 720 casks tallow, 76 tons boghead mineral, 29 cases sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—October 18: The Arawatta (s.) arrived at Cooktown this morning from south. The Barrabool (s.) left to-day for Sydney. The Burwah (s.) left to-day for Rockhampton. The Cintra (s.) arrived this morning from south. The Fitzroy (s.) arrived at Rockhampton to-day from south. The Franklin arrived at Cairns to-day from Townsville. The Guthrie (s.) left Townsville to-day for Hongkong. The Maranoa (s.) arrived at Cooktown on Thursday, bound to the Gulf. The Moraybire (s.) left Keppel Bay to-day for Townsville. The Peregrine (s.) arrived at Townsville to-day from south. The Ranelagh (s.), from Rockhampton, passed Inskip Point to-day, and is due here at midnight. The Yaralla (s.) is due at Bundaberg this evening late.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: October 18, Craigie (s.), from Melbourne; Western (s.), Booldana (s.), Katoomba (s.), Maitland (s.), Kallatina (s.), Feramount (s.), Ouraka (s.), Lubra (s.), from Sydney. Departures: October 18, Allegro, barque, for Acapulco, with 1430 tons coal; Age (s.), for Melbourne, with 3100 tons coal; Active, ketch, for Cape Hawke; Feramount (s.), for Port Macquarie; Katoomba (s.), for New Hebrides, with 455 tons coal; Western (s.), Maitland (s.), Lubra (s.), Kallatina (s.), for Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: Beewing (s.) at 10.45 a.m., Tambo (s.) at 11.35 a.m., north.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: October 18, Culpra (s.), from London; Coogee (s.), from Launceston; Flensburg (s.), from Hamburg; Glengarry, schooner, from Devonport; John and Eliza, schooner, from Circular Head. Departures: Perthshire (s.) and Gabo (s.), for Sydney. Ship Bay of Naples put in an appearance at Port Phillip Heads to-day, and received orders to proceed to Newcastle.

ADELAIDE.—Arrivals: October 18, Bulimba (s.), from Sydney; Wendouree (s.), from Newcastle.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

TWEED HEADS.—Arrival: October 18, Byron (s.) at 10 a.m. Passed: A schooner-rigged steamer at 3.40 p.m., north.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS.—Arrival: October 18, Marion Fenwick (s.) at 4.45 a.m. 12ft. on bar, 12ft. inside channel at high tide. Departures: October 18, Sarah Fenwick (s.) at 5.5 a.m.; Eliza Davies, ketch, at 9.35 a.m.

CLARENCE RIVER.—October 18: The Yolanda, schooner, is ready for sea.

BELLINGER RIVER.—Departure: October 18, Rosedale (s.) at 8.20 a.m., for Sydney.

TACKING POINT.—Passed: October 18, Burimbla (s.) at 9.40 a.m., north.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: October 18, Lansdowne, ketch, at 6.30 a.m.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: October 18, Wyoming (s.) at 10.40 a.m., south; Kurrara (s.) at 12.15 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS.—Passed: October 18, Active at 5 p.m., north.

LAKE MACQUARIE.—Arrival: October 18, Edith and May, ketch, at 9 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: October 18, Mary Davis, ketch, at 6 a.m., for Sydney.

CATHERINE HILL BAY.—Arrivals: October 18, Southern Belle, barque, and a ketch at 5 a.m., from Sydney; Ilarco (s.) at 10 a.m., from Sydney. Departures: October 18, Southern Belle, barque, at 9 a.m., for Sydney; Ilarco (s.) at 1 p.m., for Sydney.

BARRANJOEY.—Arrivals: October 18, Midget (s.) at 11 a.m., Brothers, cutter, Iolanthe, cutter, and Frolic, ketch, at 1 p.m., Garfield put in windbound at 5.40 p.m. with jibboom carried away. Departure: October 18, Louisa Lamont, schooner, at 6 a.m.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: October 18, Palmerston (s.) at 8 a.m., and Garron at 8 a.m., from Sydney. Departures: October 18, Captain Cook (s.) last night, and Countess of Errol, schooner, at 11 a.m., for Sydney; Albatross, schooner, and Hally Bayley, schooner, at 10 a.m., for Botany; Allowrie (s.) at 5 p.m., for Ulladulla; Garron, schooner, at 5.30 p.m., for Newcastle.

PORT KEMBLA.—Arrival: October 18, Glaucus (s.) at 9 a.m., from Melbourne.

KIAMA.—Arrival: October 18, Civility at 5 p.m. Departure: October 18, Hilda, schooner, at 12.45 p.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: October 18, Yallaroi, ship, at 5.15 p.m., north.

MORUYA HEADS.—Arrival: October 18, Murray (s.) off bar.

EDEN.—Arrivals: October 17, Bega (s.), at 10.15 p.m. from Sydney; Eliza Davis, ketch, at anchor in bay. The whaler Phillis put to sea at 4.30 p.m.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: October 18, Norkoowa (s.), at 6.10 a.m.; Beewing (s.), at 12.45 p.m.; and Tambo (s.), at 1.20 p.m., all north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed inward: October 18, steamer at 1.25 a.m., and steamer at 3.30 a.m.; Buninyong at 10.30 a.m. Passed outward: October 18, Gulf of Siam (s.), at 9.5 a.m.; Easby (s.), at 10.20 a.m.; Maitland (s.), at 12.5 p.m.

LOW HEAD (Tas.).—Arrivals: October 18, Pateena (s.) at 9 a.m., from Melbourne; Sherard Osborn (s.) at 11.45 a.m., from Sydney.

HOBART.—Arrival: October 18, Oonah (s.) at 8.15 p.m., from Sydney.

PORT DARWIN.—Arrival: October 17, Pathan (s.) from Foochow. Departure: October 18, Pathan (s.) for Sydney.

ALBANY.—Arrivals: October 18, Rome, R.M.S., from Colombo; Liddesdale (s.) at 12.45 p.m., from Adelaide. Departure: October 18, Rome, R.M.S., at 12.10 p.m., for Adelaide.

(PER FAVOUR OF THE UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA.)

A SYDNEY-BOUND STEAMER ASHORE.

LONDON, Oct. 17.

The Breconshire (s.), 2323 tons, of Glasgow, bound from Japan to Sydney in ballast, has gone ashore at Sapoedi Island, near Sourabaya. There is no danger.

(For Continuation of Shipping see Page 10.)

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Average annual rainfall for 36 years, 50·580.
Average for 37 years from 1st January to 30th September, 41·448.
Total rainfall from 1st January, 1895, to 18th October, 20·024.
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m. Friday, 30·153.
Maximum temperature, 84°; minimum, 57°.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M. ON FRIDAY.

Carnarvon, 30·01; Gascoyne, 30·07; Perth, 30·; Esperance Bay, 30·11; Eucla, 30·07; Streaky Bay, 30·13; Adelaide, 30·24; Robe, 30·25; Portland, 30·24; Melbourne, 30·27; Wilson's Promontory, 30·17; Gabo Island, 30·17; Cape St. George, 30·18; Sydney, 30·15; Newcastle, 30·18; Port Macquarie, 30·23; Clarence Heads, 30·26; Brisbane, 30·28; Rockhampton, 30·25; Mackay, 30·19; Cooktown, 30·08.

SYNOPSIS ISSUED AT 9 A.M. ON FRIDAY BY MR. H. C. RUSSELL, GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

New South Wales.—Generally fine, clear, and warm.
Victoria and Straits.—Fine and clear inland, scattered clouds on the coast.
Queensland.—Fine, but cloudy and squally on the coast and in far north, clear elsewhere.
South Australia.—Generally fine and clear, cloudy in the south-east.
Tasmania.—Fine and clear in the north-east, cloudy on south and west coasts.
Western Australia.—Generally fine and clear.
Central and Northern Australia.—Cloudy generally.
New Zealand.—Fine and clear generally.
New Caledonia.—Fine, but cloudy generally.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN PREVIOUS 24 HOURS TO 9 A.M. FRIDAY.

Queensland.—Light and Scattered on the coast.

RIVER REPORTS AT 9 A.M. ON FRIDAY.

Albury, 7ft. 6in.; Balranald, 14ft. 4in.; Bourke, low; Brewarrina, 1ft. 5in.; Euabalong, 3ft. 6in., falling; Euston, 24ft.; Forbes, 3ft. 2in., falling; Goodooga, low; Gundagai, 5ft. 9in., falling; Hay, 10ft., falling; Hillston, 6ft. 3in., falling; Louth, low; Manilla, low; Menindie, 1ft. 9in.; Mogil Mogil, low; Mungundi, 10in.; Pooncarie, 1ft. 9in.; Tilpa, low; Tocumwal, 15ft. 1in.; Wagga Wagga, 6ft. 5in.; Wentworth, 14ft. 11in.; Wilcannia, 2ft., falling; Yetman, 2ft., falling; Barwon River (at Walgett), 5ft. 5in., falling; Namoi River (at Walgett), 5ft. 5in., falling; Goondiwindi, low; Bingara, 1ft. 3in., falling.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Dubbo, N.W., fine, 76°; Bourke, W., cloudy, 93°; Cape George, S.E., cloudy, 67°; Forbes, calm, fine, 79°; Wilcannia, calm, fine, 79°; Newcastle, N.E., fine, 74°; Goulburn, N.W., fine, 71°; Deniliquin, S.W., fine, 80°; Sydney, S.E., cloudy, 65°.

COASTAL WEATHER REPORTS AT 3 P.M. ON FRIDAY.

Tweed Heads, N., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Byron Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, calm, fine, sea smooth; Macleay Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, E., light, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, S., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Newcastle, S., fresh, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, S., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, S., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Barranjoey, S., fresh, fine, sea moderate; South Head, S.S.E., moderate, hazy, sea smooth; Wollongong, S.S.E., light, hazy, sea smooth; Kiama, S., fresh, like rain, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, S., light cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, S.E., fresh, like rain, sea moderate; Ulladulla, S., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Bateman's Bay, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, S., hazy, sea smooth; Eden, S., light, hazy, sea smooth; Green Cape, S., fresh, cloudy, hazy, sea moderate; Gabo Island, S.W., fresh, cloudy, hazy, sea moderate.

FORECASTS ISSUED AT 4 P.M.

South Australia.—Fine and warm, with light winds, chiefly northerly.—C. TODD.

Victoria.—Generally fine and warm, with variable winds, chiefly northerly, tending to thundery weather in the north.—P. BARACCHI.

New South Wales.—Light to fresh variable winds, with fine weather, except a few very light showers on central coast.—H. C. RUSSELL.

SPECIAL OCEAN FORECASTS FOR AUSTRALASIA AND OCEANA, BY MR. CLEMENT L. WRAGGE.

Western Australia.—Fine, except east from Albany, where it is unsettled, with showers and strong southerly squalls.

Northern Territory.—Somewhat cloudy and unsettled under the monsoonal influence.

South Australia.—Fine in the centre and north, becoming cloudy and unsettled in the southern and south-eastern districts shortly.

Queensland.—Fine, excepting for a tendency to showers north from Townsville, and thunder in the north-west.

New South Wales.—Generally fine, but as already advised becoming unsettled in the west and south-west soon, strong southerly squalls over the Tasman Sea, south-east from Kiama.

Victoria and Tasmania.—Soon becoming unsettled under the eastern side of the disturbance Ot.

New Zealand.—Rainy and squally south from Wellington.

New Caledonia.—Cloudy and showery.

The above forecasts cover the next three days.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER.

Sun rises at 5.11, sets at 6.10; Moon, 5.35 a.m., 7.9 p.m.; Mercury, 5.40 a.m., 7.17 p.m.; Venus, 5.20 a.m., 3.19 p.m.; Mars, 6.0 a.m., 6.55 p.m.; Jupiter, 1.32 a.m., 11.52 a.m.; Saturn, 3.57 a.m., 7.2 p.m.
Full Moon, 4th; New Moon, 18th.
High water at Fort Denison, 8.31 a.m., 8.52 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 9.30 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 9.30 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 9.30 p.m.
NOUMEA, FIJI, and TONGA, 8 a.m.
SOLOMON ISLANDS, 8 a.m.
LAUNCESTON, via EDEN, 11 a.m.
FORSTER and TUNCURRY, 11 a.m.
MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, HOBART, and LAUNCESTON, 2 p.m.
WELLINGTON, &c., N.Z., noon.
MONTE VIDEO, BUENOS AYRES, CHILI, and RIO JANEIRO, noon.
BRISBANE, 1 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.
MACLEAY RIVER, 9 p.m.

MONDAY.

MERIMBULA and EDEN, 11 a.m.
FIJI, HONOLULU, CANADA, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, UNITED KINGDOM, and EUROPE, 11.30 a.m.
INDIA and EUROPE, 2.30 p.m.
UNITED KINGDOM, 3 p.m.
HOBART, 3 p.m.
R.M.S. ARCADIA (letters addressed to persons on board), 3 p.m.
PORT MACQUARIE and NAMBUCCA RIVER, 3 p.m.
WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 4 p.m.
COFF'S HARBOUR and BYRON BAY, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY.

BATEMAN'S BAY and NELLIGEN, noon.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

MERIMBULA and EDEN, 11 a.m.

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The Sultan's trade, decreeing the scheme of reforms throughout the Turkish Empire, has been issued.

Grave conflicts have taken place in some parts of Syria, owing to the acceptance of the reforms.

At Damascus the French and Russian Consuls have been insulted by the mob, and 120 persons have been imprisoned.

The reforms are to begin in the province of Anatolia, in Asia-Minor.

Trouble is feared in Constantinople. The Mahomedan population is incensed at preference being shown towards the Christians.

The Russian Black Sea fleet has arrived at the mouth of the Bosphorus.

The *Svoboda*, a daily paper published at Sofia, the capital of Bulgaria, states that Russia demands the abdication of Prince Ferdinand in favour of his infant son, Prince Boris.

It is stated that Prince Ferdinand is willing to comply with the Russian demands.

On Sunday night the ketch G. H. V. capsized off Long Island on the Tasmanian coast. All on board, seven in number, perished.

Mr. James Perry, secretary of Tattersall's Club, died yesterday of consumption.

A large body of the Portuguese rebels at Goa, on the West Coast of India, has attacked and looted the Treasury.

A punitive expedition, under the command of the Duke of Oporto, is proceeding to Goa from Lisbon.

A trial shipment of apples is being sent to Australia from Ontario, Canada.

The shilling fund initiated by the London *Daily Telegraph* for the presentation of a national testimonial to Dr. W. G. Grace has closed with 100,000 shillings (£5000).

Dr. Grace has written to Sir E. Lawson, managing proprietor of the London *Daily Telegraph*, stating that he is overwhelmed by the prodigious number of his friends and their generosity towards him.

The schooner Sarah Pile, bound from New Zealand to Rockhampton, stranded on Breaksea Spit, on the Queensland coast, on Thursday. Her crew abandoned her, and when last seen the vessel was water-logged, and was drifting.

The R.M.S. Cuzco arrived at Melbourne yesterday with a case of smallpox on board. The vessel was ordered into quarantine.

Yesterday the Cabinet commuted the sentences of death passed upon John Wilson, alias Holmes, and Frederick Whitely to penal servitude for life.

The agreement between the Bank of New Zealand and the Colonial Bank of New Zealand for amalgamation was laid on the table of the New Zealand House of Representatives yesterday afternoon.

Elsewhere is published the report of the Government Analyst in regard to the soot taken from the house in which Dean lived at North Sydney. Traces of arsenic were found in the soot.

Mr. J. C. Ellis, one of the candidates for Newcastle West at the last election, was entertained at a banquet at Newcastle last night.

Yesterday Detective Roche arrested a man on a charge of being concerned in the attempted robbery of Mr. James Stedman, in Cleveland-street, on the previous evening.

Mr. B. R. Wise addressed a meeting of the Flinders Freetrade and Liberal Association last night upon "The Land Tax and the Exemptions."

The insurgents in Cuba have proclaimed a republic.

The leaders of the Cuban insurgents decline to negotiate with the Spanish commander for the conclusion of peace until their liberty is complete.

It is reported that Messrs. Bergl and Brabbin have arranged to ship to London 10,000 quarters of beef monthly from the Bowen and Gladstone Meat Works, Queensland.

The late Sir William Macleay's bequest of £12,000 for the founding of a chair of bacteriology at the University under conditions which the University Senate could not accept was yesterday ordered by Mr. Justice Owen to be handed over to the Linnean Society according to the terms of the will.

Sir Julian Salomons left Sydney yesterday by train for Melbourne, where he will join the R.M.S. Arcadia.

No difficulty is anticipated in finding the money required to make a match between James Stanbury and C. Harding for the sculling championship of the world and £500 a side.

The leading beef importers in London have decided to take steps to renew the attempt to form a combination of importers to regulate the market and to maintain prices.

Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New South Wales, has been requested by the other Agents-General to inquire into the cost of holding a joint exhibition of colonial produce at the leading agricultural shows in the United Kingdom.

The Australian racehorse Paris III. has receded in the betting for the Cambridgeshire Stakes, odds of 33 to 1 against being now on offer.

Paris III. has been entered for the Manchester Handicap, to be run on November 23.

The charge of perjury brought against Mrs. Reynolds in regard to evidence given by her before the Dean Commission will be heard at the Water Police Court next Wednesday.

On Thursday the Archbishop of Canterbury dedicated a new chapel which has been built in connection with Selwyn College, University of Cambridge. The Queen has presented her portrait, bearing her autograph, to the college.

In the Stock and Share market yesterday Bank of New South Wales and Commercial Bank of Sydney shares were dealt in at the previous prices. A higher price was offered for Union Bank shares.

There was an animated inquiry for tinplates in the Import market yesterday, and the leading lines of hardware moved off freely, but prices generally were without quotable change.

During the week ended yesterday 34,344 bales of wool arrived at Sydney by rail and coastwise.

Business was brisker in the Mining market yesterday, but prices generally were lower.

The Customs receipts yesterday amounted to £7887. Towards this the 10 per cent. ad valorem duty contributed £1617, and the 15 per cent. £439.

The Licensing Bench took a common-sense view of a question raised before it this week regarding the issue of a suburban wine license. The application was opposed on the ground that there were several public-houses in the neighbourhood, but the presiding magistrate rightly came to the conclusion that public-houses had nothing to do with the case as a ground of objection. There is nothing to differ from in this decision, for among several reasons which might be given for the encouragement of the consumption of Australian wine is the fact that it takes the place of more potent and harmful intoxicants. Wine-drinking countries are known to be the least addicted to drunkenness, and if a taste for a wholesome light Australian wine could be made to take the place of that for malt and spirituous liquors in this climate at least during half the year, it is likely that both health and order would be the gainers. Attempts have been made to localise this taste for some years past, and not altogether without tangible results both on production and consumption in this and the other colonies. In our own colony, for instance, the consumption has more than doubled in ten years, having risen from 414,313 gallons in 1885 to 901,156 in 1894. Yet the consumption per inhabitant is only about two-thirds of the Victorian rate, whereas in South Australia the industry has also made considerable advances. The fact proves that at all events the popularity of locally grown wine is not diminishing, though there is still a vast difference between its volume of consumption and the upwards of nine million gallons of colonial beer used in this colony last year. Such a difference should not continue to exist in a climate like this. It would be infinitely better for the individual and for the industries of the State if the popular demand for locally-grown wine were sufficient to encourage the development of the vigneron's calling to the utmost, and the full employment of the enormous natural advantages our soil and climate offer for such a purpose. The interests of the public-house and of the retail wine depôt are by no means the same, and our Licensing Bench might do worse than encourage a taste for the wine of the country under judicious conditions.

The subject is one that holds out the most inviting prospects both for home and foreign trade. Experts are agreed on our natural advantages for producing a good article, and recent cables add the testimony of Bordeaux this year to its verdict in 1882, that of the Paris Exhibition in 1878, and the Philadelphia, Amsterdam, Indian and Colonial, and Chicago Exhibitions besides. The Adelaide depôt in London has done much to popularise a taste for a good brand of Australian wine in London, thus showing what may be done when a reasonable degree of care and a fair amount of ordinary business foresight are exercised. At present New South Wales makes a bad third in the competition with other colonies, our share of the amount exported last year—to the value of £108,023—being only about £6000 worth, while the amount of wine actually produced in Victoria was double our output. From these facts alone we may draw the inference that the industry does not receive as much attention or encouragement in this colony as its present and prospective importance might demand. We are awakening to the necessity of taking part in the export of meat and dairy produce, but it remains to be proved that an equal opening and a proportionate profit are yet to be made by supplying the pure product of our vineyards to European consumers. Great Britain alone imports over fourteen million gallons of wine annually, and of this the whole Australian proportion reached rather less than half a million gallons last year. The field is there, consequently, if we are able to fulfil the required conditions. During the past year or two, also, the ravages of phylloxera have given us a chance among European buyers. For the present year the French vintage is expected to be unusually successful, and the stimulated production of Spain and Italy will help to narrow the demand for any but the best wines of Australian production, so that if we desire to make and keep a trade in this article the subject must receive as much attention as the other articles of food export with which we hope to make an impression on the markets of the old world.

And indeed, until this care and this trained skill are consistently brought to bear we can hardly expect either to make a trade or cultivate a general popular taste for Australian wine among our own people. Certainly it can never be regarded as an article of popular consumption until the Australian working-man may, on a hot summer's day, buy a draught of wholesome and light Australian wine as readily and as cheaply as he can now procure beer or tea. There is no reason why he should not, and there should be no question of the advantage to himself from the use of wine over that of the other two beverages. But the wine must be purveyed under just conditions. It must be sold subject to regulations such as the Licensing Court imposes, to guard against the abuses which may easily arise; and there undoubtedly should be *some* guarantee that the wine sold is sufficiently mature and sufficiently sound. Had these last conditions been present from the first there is no room for doubt that the use of Australian wine would be more sustained and more general than it now is. It is because the patience of the public has been tried with young raw wines, or with wines fortified with brandy of poor quality, or corrected with salicylic acid, that the taste has not grown as rapidly as it might. It is even said on what seems good authority that the average quality of the wine sold in this colony is much lower to-day than it was say in 1880, when the number of gallons produced was within two thousand of what it was last year. An average decrease in quality like this can scarcely be put down to the accidents of production, and from any other point of view it must be regarded as a bad sign. In the Government Statistician's last report on this subject he gives publicity to the recommendations of practical authorities, who advocate a stringent application to this wine trade of the Acts relating to food adulteration. If this were done, no doubt the public would be inclined to put more faith in a drink for ordinary use respecting which unfamiliarity at present makes many somewhat doubtful. In the interests both of the local and foreign trade it will also be necessary for our vignerons to give practical attention to the advice of experts who have from time to time advised the Australian grower. Well-chosen vines, a better understanding of the causes affecting fermentation which have so much to do with the different vintages from the same acres in different years, increased attention to the art of making as well as to growing wine, and a system of sale which will bring a good article within general reach at a moderate price, are among the things desired to make a taste for the wine of the country popular at home and the trade remunerative abroad.

The accounts of the revolt of the Portuguese garrison at Goa, which have reached us by cable lately, read like the last chapter of a story crowded with many gallant and picturesque figures, and touched with much vivid colouring of the meanness and magnificence of history. That little foreign possession on the Malabar coast throws the mind back over four hundred years of human record to the time when VASCO DE GAMA first showed Europeans the way round the Cape of Good Hope, and opened the path to Portuguese domination in the East. The ruined town with its mongrel population, its unpaid troops, its weed-grown ruins of palaces and arsenals that travellers describe for us, and all those unforgetable signs of melancholy and hopeless decay that mark the failure of the Latin races in the East, has little to remind one of the ALMEIDAS and ALBUQUERQUES of the early sixteenth century when Portugal fulfilled her mission of opening up the undiscovered quarters of the world. The mind falls back on the prophet's vision of Tyre to find words to enable it to realise so much of failure and desolation, and to figure to itself how completely a tale which had its beginnings in the blaze of glory that rewarded an heroic spirit of adventure has guttered out in ignominy and squalor. Four hundred years ago ALBUQUERQUE swept the East with his ships and legions from Ormuz to Cochin, operating from Goa as the centre of his brilliant vice-royalty. It was to plant his standard at Goa that ALMEIDA set out from Lisbon in 1505, amid a scene of splendour of which Mr. GUILLEMARD in his "Life of Magellan" has popularised the description. In those days the Portuguese conquerors, when applied to by Oriental kings for tribute, responded with a significant gift of bullets. CAMOENS wrote his account of a voyage to Calicut at a time when the power of Portugal was supreme in these seas. To-day there is nothing to show that it ever existed, save a scanty settlement at Timor, a ruined fort or two among the Spice Islands, and a half-forgotten remnant of population with lost racial characteristics at Goa and Macao, which has made the name of the nation to which it belongs a byword and reproach throughout the East.

The world can hardly forget the services of the two nations whose exploratory services did so much for civilisation in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. They gave us VASCO DE GAMA; SERRAO, who discovered the Moluccas; COLUMBUS, who found a new world; MAGELLAN, who led the way round Cape Horn; and the host of known and unknown adventurers from SALDANHA to DE QUIROS who pioneered the way to Australia. But the path they pursued was the path of conquest and glory, and it is significant that while they were at the zenith of their achievement the nations which superseded them were making their first humble and indeed clandestine beginnings in the peaceful paths of trade. When Goa rivalled Lisbon in wealth, and exceeded that capital in semi-barbaric display, the Dutch and the English were sending out the voyagers whose work was to lay the foundations of two great Companies destined for a time to divide the East between them. When young LINSCHOTEN made his first voyage, and when Captain JOHN LANKESTER was laboriously beating his way round the Cape and across the Indian Ocean in an English ship for the first time, Portugal and Spain divided that portion of the globe between them, and threatened all interlopers with the summary penalties of piracy whenever and wherever found. If the historian were to point a moral from these chapters of the world's story, he would probably be found referring to the fate of the Latin races in the East and West to illustrate the fact that the path of glory leads down to the grave of Goa and Macao, while the pursuit of commerce and the cultivation of trade build up empires like India and found nations like the United States and Australia. The story of the French in Pondicherry, of the Spaniards in the Philippines, of the Spanish and Portuguese in South America and the East, and even of the Dutch at Batavia, read a melancholy lesson of racial decay, of successful enterprise sapped by luxury and ease, and of the insidiously fatal influence of new surroundings and an ever-increasing effeminacy of habit, with its consequent relaxation of the safeguarding moralities of life. From the creole of Chili to the mestizo of Macao the process and its results have been the same, and a like fate has followed similar records wherever the colonising race has permitted itself to forget its traditions and lose the characteristics that stamped its virile nationhood.

Observers of Australian progress are fond of reminding us, sometimes, that in these colonies the British race is as much on its trial as the Portuguese were at Goa or the Dutch at Batavia. The decline of these settlements did not come all at once. Many brave men lived and died, and gallant deeds of hardihood and endurance were done, before the inevitable decay set in. We are reminded, too, that the present era of ruin is a chapter in a long story of four hundred years. Australian colonisation is not really a hundred years old yet, and the racial experiment so far as we are concerned can only be said to be in its earlier stages. The British race, however, has had enough experience in these latitudes to be able to judge of the adaptableness of the Australian climate and Australian conditions of life for its purposes. The energy with which the country has been opened up and its resources exploited by a mere handful of population in proportion to the vast territory is a standing testimony to the fitness of the climate and soil for the race, so long as it is true to its own habits of life and the formative influences of its character. And this is the point on which the leaders of popular sentiment, who can discern the moral of the failure of other colonising nations, will do well to keep their attention intelligently fixed. The conditions of life are comparatively easy here, the population is less crowded and competition less keen than in European countries, the average of comfort is higher, and that class of labourers on the land which restores and maintains the town-exhausted vitality of other countries can scarcely be said to exist yet amongst us. We are not likely, it is true, to fall into a condition of physical lassitude and mental ennui so long as we cultivate our present characteristic taste for manly sports and exercises, and that increasing intellectual interest of curiosity with which shrewd observers credit us. Our free political institutions, that touch each member of the community, have also to be reckoned with as a vivifying force; and so long as a healthy public opinion seeks and finds expression amongst our people, desiring and demanding to be satisfied on any point of politics or administration that seems to it doubtful, that unfailing note of vigorous mental health may be accepted as a good sign. But, after all, we must come back to the mothers of the race in any consideration of this kind. In their hands lies the problem of the future, and on this point the lesson of the colonising nations which have failed is direct and emphatic. Where the influences of family life have been relaxed, where the female *morale* has been weakened, and where women have become listless or luxury-loving, and indifferent to the responsibilities of the home, the fibre of the race has invariably given way.

THE SOUTHERN CROSS SHIPMENT.—The letter of our special commissioner in London, which is published in the *Herald* to-day, is of particular interest, for it deals with the arrival of the Southern Cross, with the details of the voyage, and the condition of her stock. The letter closes with some opinions of the trade in London upon the consignment, and some suggestions for future shipments. The letters of our special commissioner will appear on the arrival of each mail.

LETTERS FROM LONDON.—The recent remarkable scene at the London Stock Exchange on the occasion of the opening of transactions in connection with what is known as Barnato's Bank is described by Mr. Henry Lucy in his letter this week, and some account given of the career of the promoter of this successful enterprise. The machinery of the new battleship Magnificent has, we are told, some noteworthy improvements that are expected to revolutionise this particular part of all future ships. Mr. Du Maurier having finished his new novel is resting at Folkestone. He has also been devoting himself to rehearsals of the dramatic version of "Trilby." Our correspondent in his "Old World Gossip," discussing the political situation, points out that it will be no slight task for the Government to shape a definite policy, for there is hardly a question that it will be called upon to deal with that does not bristle with difficulties. Reference is made in the letter to the recent newspaper correspondence on the "reunion of Christendom," the series of fatal bathing accidents at favourite watering places, and the cholera scare at Grimsby.

OUR AMERICAN LETTER.—Our New York correspondent, in his letter that appears in this issue, deals with the question of negro suffrage, the triumph of the so-called "bosses" in both political parties, the Atlanta Exposition, the "Chatauqua idea" of summer schools, the Pacific cable, and the yacht races for the America Cup.

VICE-REGAL NEWS.—This evening Lady Darley will attend the Hambourg concert. On Monday afternoon the Lieutenant-Governor will preside at the meeting of the Church of England Labour Home, and Lady Darley will attend a musical "at home" in Paling's Buildings. In the evening his Excellency will dine with the Commodore of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron, the Hon. R. H. D. White, M.L.C. On Tuesday afternoon Lady Darley will open the spring show of the Western Suburbs Horticultural Society, and on Wednesday afternoon Lady Darley will distribute the prizes in connection with the Church of England Grammar School Sports. On Thursday his Excellency and Lady Darley will visit the Carrington Convalescent Hospital. On Friday evening the Governor will attend the annual regimental dinner of the Second Infantry Regiment, and on Saturday afternoon Lady Darley will distribute some of the prizes won at the Rifle Association Meeting at Randwick.

MEETING OF FREETRADE MEMBERS.—On Thursday evening an informal meeting of members of the freetrade party was held in one of the committee-rooms at Parliament House for the purpose of considering the much-discussed question of the attitude of the freetrade party towards any amendment of the exemptions in the Land and Income Tax Bill. About 25 members attended. No member of the Ministry was present, but it is stated to have been a meeting thoroughly friendly to the present Administration. A great deal of secrecy has been observed in regard to the meeting, but it is understood that the question chiefly discussed was whether it would not be wise to adopt a conciliatory attitude in regard to the amendment of the exemptions. It is understood that the final decision arrived at was to urge the Government to call the freetrade party together to consider the position, in the event of a deadlock arising between the two Houses in regard to the taxation proposals of the Government. In order to avoid a prolonged deadlock, there is a tendency amongst many members of the party to accept a reasonable compromise in regard to the exemptions. The position of the Ministry is rendered difficult owing to the fact that several members of the Cabinet are pledged to their constituents to uphold the exemptions; but an impression prevails that when the time comes a way will be found out of the difficulty, probably by way of compromise.

THE NEW ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS.—The Chief Railway Commissioner, Mr. Eddy, states that it is his intention to have all the information in regard to electric tramways acquired by himself in Europe, and by Mr. Elwell (electrical engineer to the Railway Department) during his trip to America, carefully considered and reduced into the form of a report. When this is done the Railway Commissioners will be in a position to give the public full information in regard to the best means of improving the tramway service. Mr. Eddy says the information gathered is of the most interesting character, and the Commissioners are convinced that they can do a very great deal to improve the tramway service, and at very much less cost than would have been practicable a few years back. The developments have been so very considerable that plant put in a few years ago is now practically obsolete. The application of electricity to tramways has been brought down to the most simple arrangement, that cannot very well be improved upon unless some absolutely new departure is made.

HAWKESBURY AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.—Hitherto there has been an entrance examination at the Hawkesbury Agricultural College. This has proved a serious stumbling-block to many would-be students, especially those from the country. In some instances more than half the candidates have failed to pass the examination. It has also been found that many of those who pass well in the entrance examination do not always turn out to be the most practical students. It has therefore been decided to abolish the entrance examination, and in place of it to simply require a certificate from one of the Public schools of the colony showing that the candidate for admission has a fair knowledge of reading, writing, and arithmetic. This is the practice now followed with success at the Dookie Agricultural College in Victoria. The new buildings at the Hawkesbury College will be completed shortly, and by January next there will be accommodation for 90 students in all. Candidates for admission will be accepted in the order of application.

THE HORNSBY TRAIN SERVICE.—The residents north of Strathfield are signing a petition to the Railway Commissioners asking that the train now leaving Sydney at 5.23 of an evening start 7 minutes later, so as to reach Hornsby at 6.27 p.m.

FOREST THINNING.—During the past three days 14 gangs of 15 men each have been sent to Narrabri to take part in the forest thinning work now proceeding at Gaunmain.

WESTERN SUBURBS SEWERAGE SCHEME.—A deputation recently waited on the Minister for Works to explain the necessity of immediately extending the western suburbs sewerage scheme. The deputation was the outcome of a resolution of the Burwood Council, and was attended by representatives of a number of western suburban municipalities. In reply to the request the Mayor of Burwood has received a letter from the Under-Secretary for Public Works, stating that the Minister for Works has directed that the necessary surveys shall be carried out immediately and the works put in hand with the least possible delay.

THE WEATHER.—A SOUTHERLY BURSTER.—Up to noon yesterday the temperature was exceptionally high, 73·8 being recorded at the Observatory. The wind was then light from the west, but there were in the stuffy, close atmosphere indications of a spasmodic change. Wollongong wired that a southerly burster had passed there, and at noon at South Head it was blowing furiously from the south. A velocity of 41 miles per hour was recorded at the Observatory. Later the wind died away, but in the city the sudden violent change caused a fearful duststorm. The streets were swept of all the rubbish. With the change to the southward the temperature fell to 65·4, or over 18 degrees; and after the dust had expended its strength the air was refreshingly clear and cool.

MAIL STEAMERS.—SICKNESS ON THE CUZCO.—The reception accorded the Darmstadt yesterday as she berthed at the new wharf of the North German Lloyd was an interesting one. She is the first of the fleet to occupy a berth there, and the new shed and wharf were besieged with visitors. The officials of the company were present to look after their patrons, of whom the Darmstadt brought a larger and a more representative number than usually arrives by these steamers. A wire from Albany gives the arrival there of the Rome, from London, with the English mail to the 20th ultimo on board. The Rome left for Adelaide about noon of yesterday, and may reach the Semaphore in time for the mails to be landed for Monday's express, thus ensuring their delivery here on Wednesday next. From Melbourne a message was yesterday received stating that the Orient mail steamer Cuzco is detained at the outer anchorage, the cause being a suspicious case of variola on the vessel. The Cuzco will arrive here probably on Monday next. The Polynesien (in the Messageries line) made the trip from Noumea in an hour under three days, equal to a through speed of 15 knots per hour. By the Orient liner Oruba, sailing hence on Monday, Sir Henry Meredyth, Mr. and Mrs. St. Quinton Hill, and the Rev. Geo. Walters are passengers to London. At Adelaide the members of the London Gaiety Girl Company join the steamer. For Naples, Commander Schieder, of the Bussard, is a passenger. The Bishop of Bathurst goes as far as Adelaide.

A SOUVENIR OF FRENCH ASSISTANCE TO THE RINGAROOMA.—The Polynesien on arrival yesterday brought an interesting item of news in connection with the accident that occurred to the Ringarooma when she struck on a reef off one of the islands in the New Hebrides Group. On that eventful occasion one of the French men-of-war rendered valuable assistance, and now a handsome silver epergne bearing an inscription relative to the incident has reached the Governor of New Caledonia from the British Government for presentation to the ship.

A SHIPMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES TIMBER TO LONDON.—By the ship Harvest Queen Messrs. Scott, Sibbald, and Co. are sending to London one of the largest cargoes of timber that ever left this colony. The whole shipment is 600,000ft., and comprises mahogany, blackbutt, tallowwood, ironbark, pine, rosewood, cedar, and a quantity of timber used in the construction of railway waggons and carriages. The timber is consigned to the Australasian Timber Company, Limited, London.

BUSY CAREER OF A STEAMER.—Though only upon her second voyage since she was launched, the steamer Cam has had a busy time since she left home. The vessel happened to be in Japan waters when the war broke out, and as the Japan Steamship Company's steamers were mostly absorbed by the Government for transports, the Cam fell upon profitable times. She was secured at a good figure to run the coastal service of Japan, taking up the running the Japan S.S. Company's steamers ordinarily performed. This paying business lasted for nine months, and the charter being out the vessel made a few mail trips to Bombay for the Japanese company, and was then ordered to Sydney from Kobe by her owners to load a wool cargo in Australia. Captain J. Mathias, who is in command of the Cam, and who formerly commanded Money Wigram's steamers in the Australian trade, is the Captain Mathias who lost his wife in the Cattherun disaster.

ARRIVAL OF THE FRENCH MAIL STEAMER FROM NEW CALEDONIA.—The Polynesien, with 30 passengers for Sydney, yesterday afternoon arrived at Circular Quay from Noumea and berthed alongside the Messageries Maritimes Wharf. The steamer brings New Caledonia news to the 15th instant.

THE NOUMEA-AUSTRALIAN TRADE.—At the instance of the Chamber of Commerce the Governor of New Caledonia has interested himself so far as to cable to the owners of one of the steamship lines suggesting an increased efficiency of the present direct service between his colony and Australia.

DEPARTURE OF MAJOR-GENERAL HUTTON.—In Thursday's *Herald* attention was directed to an item in the Military Estimates—£320, passage money, &c., for Major-General Hutton to England—and the paragraph went on to say it was expected that the Major-General would return to England in January next. His engagement with the colony will expire about the middle of April, and we are now in a position to state that it is not likely he will take his departure till the second week in March.

DEPARTURE OF SIR JULIAN SALOMONS.—The Hon. Sir Julian Salomons, Q.C., M.L.C., who has been suffering from impaired health for some weeks past, left Sydney by express train last evening for Melbourne, where he will join the R.M.S. Arcadia. The P. and O. Company has arranged to detain the vessel for an hour to enable Sir Julian to catch it. Sir Julian was seen off at the railway station by a number of friends. He is proceeding to Brindisi, and will be absent from the colony for about five months. Sir Julian contemplates visiting either the south of Italy or France. During the day a large number of Sir Julian's friends called at his chambers to wish him *bon voyage*. Amongst those who went to the Railway Station to see Sir Julian off were the Premier (Hon. G. H. Reid), the Attorney-General (Hon. J. H. Want), Chief Commissioner Eddy, Commissioner Oliver, Commissioner Fehon, Mr. Browning, Mr. Canaway, and Mr. G. H. Simpson.

FAREWELL TO REV. G. WALTERS.—A very successful farewell social was given last evening at Leigh House to the Rev. George Walters, minister of the Unitarian Church, prior to his departure on Monday on a six months' holiday trip to England, about 50 couples being present. Advantage was taken of an interval to wish the Rev. G. and Mrs. Walters a pleasant journey. Musical selections were contributed by Miss Fella Murphy and Mr. Irving, and during the evening light refreshments were provided.

AUSTRALIAN MUSICAL ASSOCIATION.—The entries for the examinations directed by the A.M.A. Board, consisting of M. Henri Kowalski (chairman), Mr. Charles Bethune (vice-chairman), Mme. Charbonnet-Kellermann (director of examinations), and a strong committee, will close on Monday next, and the examinations will open on the 4th November under the conditions notified in another column.

PRESENTATIONS TO MR. JAMES KIDMAN.—On Wednesday last Mr. James Kidman entertained his friends at a picnic at George's River, advantage being taken of the occasion to present the host with a gold matchbox and sovereign-purse from the members of the Brighton Club. Mr. J. P. Lister made the presentation. A second presentation was made by Mr. Fred. Gannon, on behalf of the aboriginals, of a blackfellow's boomerang. Mr. G. E. Russell-Jones further presented Mr. Kidman, on behalf of a few friends, with a gold watch and chain and an illuminated address which was to have accompanied it not being ready. Foremost in the signatures to the address are those of Mr. G. H. Reid and Sir George Dibbs. Mr. Kidman thanked his friends for their pretty presents, as well as their expressions of good-will.

PRESENTATION.—A pleasant evening was spent on Wednesday in the Empire Hotel by the gentlemen connected with the Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, the object being to present a testimonial to their late resident secretary, Mr. P. Vernon Ross. Dr. C. Seymour Dowdell occupied the chair. Speeches were made testifying to Mr. Ross's many good qualities and able management of the society during the seven years of his secretaryship. His health was drunk in champagne. The gift consisted of a silver salver and tea service, suitably inscribed.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.—The annual Friendly Societies' Hospital Sunday procession and demonstration, held under the auspices of the Friendly Societies' Association of New South Wales, will take place to-morrow afternoon. No less than 17 orders, each accompanied by a brass band, will participate in the procession, which will start from the corner of George and Harris streets at 1 o'clock. The line of march will be along George-street, round by the Circular Quay and Macquarie-street, to the Domain. The Colonial Secretary has given permission for the erection of four platforms, and five speakers have been allotted to each meeting. We are requested to draw the attention of members of societies to an advertisement appearing in another column notifying that collection boxes may be obtained from 7 to 9 o'clock to-night at the G.U.O.O.F. Hall, Castlereagh-street.

THE LATE SIR WILLIAM MACLEAY'S BEQUEST.—It may be remembered that the late Sir William Macleay, by his will, left a memorandum in which he bequeathed the sum of £12,000 to the Senate of the University towards founding a Chair of Bacteriology, and attached certain conditions to the bequest. In the event of these conditions not being accepted, the testator directed that the money was to go to the Linnean Society of New South Wales, upon trust, to provide a bacteriologist for the society. The University accepted the bequest, but as doubts subsequently arose as to the exact meaning of the conditions the Senate applied to the Equity Court for an interpretation, and in June last year Mr. Justice Owen made his decree. The Senate, however, finding, after consideration, that it was impossible to comply with the conditions as the Court interpreted them, rescinded the former resolution of acceptance; and yesterday Mr. Lingen, instructed by Messrs. Ellis, Makinson, and Plunkett, appeared for the Linnean Society, and moved for the payment out to the society of the bequest, which, with interest, now amounts to the sum of £12,704 14s 4d. Mr. Mason, who was instructed by Mr. F. E. Matthew Norton, appeared for the trustees of the will to consent. His Honor made an order for the payment of the amount to the Linnean Society upon the trust named in the memorandum; costs of all parties as between solicitor and client to be paid out of the fund.

FUNERAL OF MR. SAGER.—The remains of the late Mr. Edmund E. Sager, secretary to the Board of Health, were interred in the Church of England Cemetery at Waverley yesterday. The funeral cortège moved from the former residence of the deceased, Kellett-street, Darlinghurst, at a little before 3 o'clock. Many beautiful wreaths were sent. Amongst them were contributions from the president and officers of the Board of Health, the officers of the Treasury, Mr. Stanley (Chief Veterinary Inspector), Dr. C. H. Miles (Health Officer, Newcastle), the matron and nurses of the Coast Hospital, the male staff of the hospital, the Quarantine staff, Mr. Pain (Woolloomooloo

Ambulance Department), the Orient Steam Navigation Company, the members of the Athenæum Club, Mr. F. J. Vincent (Superintendent Quarantine Station), Dr. G. H. Taylor (Medical Superintendent Coast Hospital), Dr. Philip Muskett, Captain Vine Hall, Mrs. Warre, Mrs. Paton, Mrs. G. J. Marshall, Mrs. Bachen, Mrs. R. D. Smith, Miss R. Moodie, Mr. and Mrs. Layton, Mr. Jas. Harries, and many others. Amongst those who were present at the funeral were Mr. W. H. Sager (brother of the deceased), Professor Anderson Stuart, Dr. Ashburton Thompson, the Hon. Dr. MacLaurin, M.L.C., Dr. N. Manning (Inspector-General of Insane), Dr. A. T. Paton (Government Medical Officer), Dr. Fiaschi, Dr. G. A. Taylor, Dr. Violette, Dr. T. E. Franklin, Dr. P. Muskett, Judge Coffey, Captain J. Vine Hall, Inspector Potter, Alderman Macnamara, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Smith, Mrs. D. Batchen, Miss R. Moodie, Mr. T. M. Jesse (secretary Prince Alfred Hospital), Mr. Ryder (secretary Carrington Convalescent Hospital), Mr. J. Kidman, Mr. A. Kidman, Mr. P. J. Holdsworth, Mr. J. F. Vincent, Mr. Hamlet (Government Analyst), Mr. Stanley (veterinary inspector), the Board of Health staff, and other representatives of departments. In all there were about 20 vehicles. The Rev. E. Lampard, of St. John's, Darlinghurst, officiated, and the funeral arrangements were in the hands of Messrs. Wood and Co. The offices of the Board of Health were closed during the afternoon.

DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND INSTITUTION.—On Thursday the New South Wales Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Newtown-road, was visited by Mrs. Armitage, of London. Mrs. Armitage is the widow of the late Dr. T. R. Armitage, "the friend of the blind," who founded in 1868 the British and Foreign Blind Association for promoting the education and employment of the blind. He was also the founder, in conjunction with Dr. Campbell, of the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind, London. Mrs. Armitage takes a very warm interest in all that pertains to the welfare of the blind, and, with her daughter, was accorded a hearty welcome to the institution on the Newtown-road. On leaving Mrs. Armitage expressed the pleasure and satisfaction which the visit had afforded her, and gave a donation of £10 in aid of the funds.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.—The following accepted tenders are announced in the *Government Gazette*:—The undermentioned tenders in connection with public schools have been accepted by the Government, viz.:—Burringbar, re-erecting building, Thornton and M'Carthy, £14 10s; Booligal, erecting residence, W. Kerr, £239 15s; Byron Creek, erecting residence, Wotherspoon and Miller, £194; Upper Castlereagh, improvements and repairs, G. H. Parkin, £95; Greghamstown, improvements and repairs, J. Bridgman, £32 1s; Herons' Creek, re-erecting building, M. Williams, £29 17s 6d; Kogarah, erecting additional building and weathershed, W. Kerr, £363 13s; Moss Vale, additions and improvements to residence, &c., Walter Moss, £164; Mount Tamar, painting, William Jones and Sons, £10 10s; Mungindi, erecting residence, C. Harris, £296 10s; Major's Creek, additions and repairs, Moriceau and Gregan, £160; Pampoolah, improvements and repairs, G. Murray, £39; Pelican Island, improvements and repairs, Graham and Stanford, £89; South Lead, painting and repairs, William H. Cole, £24 15s 10d; Spring Mount, improvements and repairs, John Bromfield, £40; Woonten, improvements and repairs, W. Landers, £14 16s 9d; Welchman's Creek, improvements and repairs, Chapman and Wilson, £19 12s 1d. The following tender for the supply of forage, metropolitan district, during a period of five calendar months from the 1st proximo, has been accepted, namely:—John M'Hugh. The following tender for the supply of forage, Parramatta district, during a period of five calendar months from the 1st proximo, has been accepted, namely:—D. D. Henderson. The following tender for the provision supplies for the service of the Public Works Prison, Trial Bay, for a period of five calendar months from the 1st proximo, has been accepted, namely:—R. L. Perrett, Jerseyville.

DISPUTE ON A VESSEL.—Yesterday afternoon some misunderstanding arose between the firemen of the Union Company's steamer Tekapo and the captain, with the result that the men struck work, and were subsequently arrested by the water police and charged with refusal of duty. From what can be ascertained, it seems that the men were originally shipped in Sydney on certain articles at £6 per month, and that some change had taken place with which the men appear to be dissatisfied. The strike is not likely to affect any of the other vessels of the company.

DEATH OF AN OFFICER OF THE ORUBA.—The flags on the Orient liner Oruba were at half-mast yesterday on account of the death of Mr. Kerr, one of the engineers of the vessel. Mr. Kerr expired rather suddenly on Thursday, and at his funeral yesterday, which took place at Rookwood, the officers and engineers of the Oruba, also several of the company's officials, were present at the grave. Many beautiful wreaths were laid upon the coffin by Mr. Kerr's fellow-officers.

FALL OF A CHILD FROM A BALCONY.—A boy named Henry Bray, about 6 years of age, yesterday fell from the balcony of his residence, in Cowper-street, Glebe, and when picked up was unconscious. He was conveyed to the Children's Hospital.

A FALL DOWN A SHIP'S HOLD.—A wharf labourer named Thomas Ambrose yesterday fell down the hold of the steamer Indrani, lying at Moore's Wharf. Ambrose fell a distance of 15ft., the back of his head striking the bottom of the hold. He was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital by Mr. J. Duncan, of Dowling-street, Paddington. Ambrose escaped with comparatively slight injuries. The ligaments about his neck were strained, and he also sustained a slight concussion.

MR. J. FITZPATRICK, of Junee, has compiled, and Messrs. Gordon and Gotch published, under the title of "The Australian Cricket Record, 1894-5," a comprehensive summary of the cricket doings of last Australian season, international, intercolonial, and local. In addition there are notes of leading cricketers. Altogether it is a little book which contains a useful record of an interesting season, and, given encouragement, the author will continue it.

WE are requested to mention that the next meeting for Hebrews will be held on Saturday evening next in the hall next to the Synagogue.

THE Labour Home report for the week ended 12th October is as follows:—Meals served, 609; beds occupied, 209; employment found, 4; dismissed, 2; remaining, 28.

A DISTRIBUTION of valuable Sydney and suburban freehold properties, of which detailed particulars will be found in our advertising columns, is announced to take place on 20th December next, under the auspices of the Equitable Building Society of Brisbane.

MISS SCHREBER, an elocutionist, who studied under Mr. J. F. Cathcart, and practised her profession for some years in Melbourne, has now settled in this city, and makes announcement of her plans in another column.

AN advertisement in another part of this issue gives the prospectus of the Burrawong Fruit Company.

AN announcement appeared in yesterday's *Gazette* appointing the undermentioned officers of the Free Public Library, Sydney, to the positions specified:—the appointments in each case to take effect from 1st July, 1895:—George Hartwell Gifford to be first assistant librarian and cataloguer, William Hartwell Gifford to be accountant and entry clerk, John Fox to be chief attendant, Henry Robertson to be attendant, James Pierce to be record clerk and assistant.

Scribner for October reaches us from Messrs. Gordon and Gotch. Among the contents are Mr. Lloyd Osbourne's reminiscences of Stevenson, Mr. Shaler's paper on domesticated birds, and Mr. G. W. Smalley's study of Huxley.

TO-DAY.

Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron Opening Evolutions: Yachts will assemble in Farm Cove at 2.30 p.m.
Sydney Flying Squadron: Steamer leaves Erskine-street and Circular Quay at 2.45.
Excursion to the Hawkesbury River from wharf foot of Market-street, at 2 o'clock.
Chalmers Church Annual Excursion to Pearl Bay: Steamer Leveret leaves Floating Jetty at 11 a.m. and 1.45 p.m.
Burton-street Tabernacle Picnic: Steamer Courier leaves Woolloomooloo Bay at 8, Watson's Bay Wharf, Circular Quay, at 10, 11, and 2.15.
Sydney Cricket Ground: South Sydney v. East Sydney: Match starts at 2 p.m.
Y.M.C.A.: Young Men's Meeting, 7.45.
Moorefield Races: First race starts at 2 p.m.
Fitzgerald Brothers' New London Company, Exhibition Building, 8 p.m.
Art Society of N.S.W.: Open from 10 to 5.30, 70 Pitt-street, near Hunter-street.
Society of Artists, York-street Skating Rink: Open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Cyclorama, "Jerusalem": Opposite Redfern Railway Station, open 10 a.m. till 5.30 p.m., and from 7 till 10 p.m.
Empire Theatre, York-street: Variety Company, 2.30 and 8 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 2.30 and 8 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: "Firefly," 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Prairie King," 8 p.m.
Theatre Royal: "Land of the Moa," 8 p.m.
Bijou Theatre: "Is He Guilty," 8 p.m.
Rambourg Pianoforte Recital: Centenary Hall, 8 p.m.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

ARMENIA AND TURKEY.

THE REFORMS DECREED BY THE SULTAN.

TROUBLE FEARED IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A telegraphic despatch has been received from Constantinople announcing that the Sultan's irade has been issued, decreeing the scheme of reforms throughout the Turkish empire.

The reforms are to commence in the province of Anatolia, in Asia Minor.

Trouble is feared in Constantinople. The Mahomedan population is incensed at preference being shown towards the Christians.

The Armenians in Constantinople are reopening their shops, which have been closed since the outbreak of the late riots.

The Russian Black Sea Fleet has arrived at the mouth of the Bosphorus.

LATER.

Grave conflicts have taken place in some parts of Syria as the result of the acceptance by Turkey of the reforms in Armenia.

The situation at Damascus is serious. The French and Russian Consuls have been insulted by the mob, and 120 persons have been imprisoned for thus displaying their resentment.

Serious encounters have taken place at Sidon, on the coast of Syria, between the Druses and the Mutalis.

RUSSIA AND BULGARIA.

ABDICATION OF PRINCE FERDINAND DEMANDED.

A REGENCY PROPOSED.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The *Svoboda*, a daily journal published at Sofia, the capital of Bulgaria, states that Russia demands the abdication of Prince Ferdinand as ruler of Bulgaria, in favour of his infant son, Prince Boris.

It is further demanded that the young prince shall be baptised into the orthodox Greek Church, and that during his minority a regency shall be appointed, consisting of the Russian Minister for War and a Bulgarian.

The journal adds that it has reason to believe that Prince Ferdinand is willing to accept the Russian demands.

THE GOA REBELLION.

DESPATCH OF A PUNITIVE EXPEDITION.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The rebellion at the Portuguese territory of Goa, on the west coast of India, is assuming serious dimensions. A large body of rebels attacked and looted the Treasury.

A punitive expedition, under the command of the Duke of Oporto, sails from Lisbon to-day for Goa.

THE INSURRECTION IN CUBA.

LONDON, Oct. 17.

The insurgents in Cuba have proclaimed a Republic. The leader declines to open negotiations with the Spanish commander for the conclusion of peace until their liberty is complete.

THE SILVER ROBBERY IN LONDON.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The manager of the Clerkenwell branch of Messrs. Elkington and Company's silver and electroplate business was brought up at the police court yesterday on a charge of being concerned in the recent extensive robbery of silver bullion from the St. Pancras railway station. The accused, whose name is Sarti, was remanded.

It has transpired that the police were informed by Messrs. Elkington and Co. of the suspicious behaviour of Sarti, who placed obstacles in the way of the police instituting inquiries into the circumstances of the robbery.

COLONIAL PRODUCE IN ENGLAND.

EXHIBITION AT AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The Agents-General for the Australian colonies have requested Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New South Wales, to inquire into the cost of holding a joint exhibition of colonial produce at the leading agricultural shows in the United Kingdom.

AUSTRALIAN BEEF.

THE EXPORT TRADE.

LONDON, Oct. 17.

It is reported that Messrs. Bergl and Brabbin, meat exporters, have arranged to ship to London 10,000 quarters of beef monthly from the Bowen and Gladstone (Queensland) Meat Works. The first shipment will be made in March next.

A meeting of the leading beef importers in London was held to-day to devise means for keeping up the price of frozen meat. The chair was occupied by Mr. W. Forrest, M.L.C., of Queensland. After discussion a committee was appointed to draw up rules with the view of renewing the attempt to form a combination of importers to regulate the market and maintain prices.

NEW MINING COMPANIES.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The shares of the Forrest Gold-mining Company, Hannan's, Western Australia, have been allotted.

The Hannan's Proprietary Development Company, which has been formed with a capital of £500,000, is issuing shares to the extent of £210,000.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.—Famous Dona Marina Cigars, 5 for 1s, will suit the most fastidious palate.—[ADVT.]

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY.

NEW CHAPEL FOR SELWYN COLLEGE.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A new chapel which has been built in connection with Selwyn College, University of Cambridge, was formally dedicated by Dr. Benson, Archbishop of Canterbury, yesterday, in the presence of a large assemblage, including many bishops and clergy.

The Queen presented her portrait, bearing Her Majesty's autograph, to the College.

THE CANADIAN RIFLE TEAM.

THE PROPOSED VISIT TO AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

It was recently proposed that the Canadian Rifle Association team to compete at the next meeting of the National Rifle Association meeting at Bisley should travel to London by way of Australia, so as to enable the team to take part in the rifle shooting competitions in one or other of the Australian colonies.

It is now stated that the Canadian Rifle Association is not likely to carry out the proposal so far as Australia is concerned, on account of the heavy expense that would be involved.

THE GRACE TESTIMONIAL.

THE SHILLING FUND CLOSED.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The shilling fund initiated by the *Daily Telegraph* for the presentation of a national testimonial to Dr. W. G. Grace, the eminent cricketer, has closed with 100,000 shillings (£5000).

Dr. Grace has written to Sir E. Lawson, managing proprietor of the *Daily Telegraph*, acknowledging the great compliment paid him, and stating that he is overwhelmed by the prodigious number of his friends at home and abroad, and their generosity towards him.

ENGLISH SPORTING.

LONDON, Oct. 17.

The Australian racehorse Paris III. has receded in the betting for the Cambridgeshire Stakes, odds of 33 to 1 against being now on offer.

Paris III. has been entered for the Manchester Handicap, to be run at Manchester on 23rd November.

CANADIAN APPLES.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A trial shipment of apples from Ontario, Canada, is being sent to Australia.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

A REMARKABLE OPERATION.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

Miss Adelaide Porter, the Elder scholar in music of three years ago, has been the subject of a remarkable surgical operation. While in London, pursuing her studies, she sustained injuries to two of her fingers, which London specialists declared would prevent her from ever resuming pianoforte practice. Since that time her fingers have been stiff and dead. A few days ago Professor Watson, Drs. Sterling and Marten opened her forearm and discovered that the tendons connecting the fingers had been twisted. They performed an operation, which has enabled Miss Porter to use her fingers. They declare that she will be able to resume her studies.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The continued dry weather is causing increased anxiety. Reports from the country are most gloomy with regard to the wheat harvest. This fact, with the ability with which holders are showing for keeping back supplies, has caused wheat to harden. There are buyers at 3s 1d to 3s 2d at Port Adelaide, and the current quotation is anything between 3s and 3s 3d. Flour is unchanged. Bran is in increased demand. Orders at 9d are refused, and sellers are now paying 9½d. The chaff market is strong, and with the certainty of a light hay yield prices are hardening. In the absence of business it is difficult to quote. The import markets show little or no change. A steady business is being done with the West, but transactions are of a retail character.

SMALLPOX IN MELBOURNE.

A CASE ON THE CUZCO.

THE VESSEL QUARANTINED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Some excitement was occasioned in Melbourne to-day when it was ascertained that the Cuzco, which arrived early in the morning from London, had anchored off Williamstown with a case of smallpox on board. The intelligence was all the more startling because the Cuzco had within the past week called at Albany and Adelaide, and had received pratique, leaving the latter port as late as Wednesday last. At those places the fifth engineer on board was examined by the health officers, but they pronounced him to be simply suffering from chickenpox, their opinion being shared by the doctor of the Cuzco until this morning, when Dr. Hector R. Maclean, the health officer at Williamstown, visited the vessel as she lay in the bay and promptly dispelled any doubts as to the nature of the disease from which the patient was suffering. Despite the weight of medical testimony against him, Dr. M'Lean showed no hesitation in declaring the case to be one of smallpox, and later in the day this opinion was confirmed by Dr. Howard, the second health officer at Williamstown, who visited the Cuzco to consult with Dr. M'Lean. Meanwhile a message had been despatched to the Central Board of Health for instructions, but Dr. Gresswell was out of town, and it was not till late in the afternoon that the course to be pursued, viz., quarantining the vessel, was decided upon. Pending the receipt of these instructions, however, the Cuzco was placed in quarantine at her anchorage, and the utmost care was taken that communication with the shore should be completely shut off. No one with the exception of Dr. Howard was permitted on board the vessel, and after that gentleman left the Cuzco to go on shore his clothes were thoroughly fumigated. Dr. M'Lean, together with Pilot Wills, who brought the vessel up from the Heads, remains on board. As far as could be gathered to-night there are no signs of any further cases amongst those on the vessel. The fifth engineer has been completely isolated, and every possible precaution has been taken to prevent contagion on board. Permission has been given by Dr. Gresswell to the Orient Company to coal the Cuzco and discharge her cargo with lighters in her present position, which work will probably be completed to-morrow. She will then proceed to the quarantine station at Portsea, where her passengers for Melbourne will be placed in quarantine. The Cuzco will subsequently go on to Sydney.

VICTORIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Thomas Garvey was acquitted to-day on a charge of the manslaughter of Miss Harriet Grace Newell, who died from injuries received through a collision between a tramcar on which she was riding and a horse and dray driven by the accused.

The weather to-day was delightfully fine, and promises well for the Caulfield Cup meeting.

The medical examination of Mrs. Emma Williams, who is lying under sentence of death for drowning her child, shows that the statement which she made as to the state of her health is untrue.

QUEENSLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DISASTER TO A SCHOONER.

THE SARAH PILE WATERLOGGED AND DRIFTING ABOUT.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The postmaster has received the following telegram from Sandy Cape lighthouse:—"The topsail schooner Sarah Pile, from New Zealand to Rockhampton with timber, was stranded at Breaksea Spit yesterday at 10 a.m., and remained in the breakers all day. The crew abandoned her last night. Captain Short and his wife and the crew landed here. The schooner is now 17 miles north from here waterlogged, and is drifting to the west."

The Sarah Pile was built at Auckland in 1864, and is owned by Captain Short. She is a vessel of 118 tons, and at the time of the accident was bound to Rockhampton from the Thames River with a cargo of 100,000ft. of kauri pine.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The quantity of sugar exported from the various ports of Queensland from the 1st to the 15th October amounted to 3950 tons, making a total of 33,158 tons since the 1st June.

During the past few days Messrs. Klapp and Cain, two Melbourne directors of the Metropolitan Tramway Company, have been in Brisbane for the purpose of conferring with the local board on the subject of the proposed rearrangement of the company and the adoption of an electrical system of motive power on the lines. It is understood that the negotiations for the change are proceeding satisfactorily.

The balance at the credit of the Pacific Islanders fund at the end of June last was £23,961, as against £28,353 at the end of June, 1894.

The dredging necessary to make Broadmount harbour accessible for all vessels is estimated to entail an expenditure of £15,000 for dredging, but a section of 100ft. wide could be done at a cost of £6800.

Tommy Ah Gibb, a Chinese tradesman, was fined £10 and costs to-day for having illegally sold opium.

Mr. W. R. Wilson wired to Mr. George Adams to-day stating that the drawing of the St. Albans lottery must take place on the 24th instant.

NEW ZEALAND.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

AMALGAMATION OF BANKS.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

The agreement between the Bank of New Zealand and the Colonial Bank of New Zealand was laid on the table of the House this afternoon. The Bank of New Zealand purchases the business and assets of the Colonial, except the uncalled capital, the reserve liability of the shareholders, and certain assets and debts. The business and assets are estimated at a face value of £461,211. From this sum £327,395 is deducted as security pending the realisation and adjustment of accounts of the selling bank. £133,900 is to be paid in cash by the Bank of New Zealand. The assets remaining the property of the Colonial Bank are valued at £162,000. The agreement is conditional upon its ratification by a resolution passed by the shareholders of the selling bank and upon the approval of Parliament. The transfer of the business is to take place on the second Monday after the ratification and approval of the agreement.

ARRIVAL OF THE R.M.S. ROME.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, Friday.

The R.M.S. Rome, A. B. Daniell, commander, arrived from Colombo at 5.30 a.m. The following are the passengers:—

For ALBANY: Messrs. Simpson and Drysdale, Mesdames Hall and Sholl.

For ADELAIDE: Mr. Cowes.

For MELBOURNE: Mr. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. Travers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sawers and family, Misses Clarke, Johnson, Yene, Le Comte de Saint.

For SYDNEY: Mr. and Mrs. Noakes and child, Mr. and Mrs. Cowper and two children, Mr. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Dougall and family, Messrs. Martin, Thornton and daughter, Keanans, Lysaght and wife, Halleburton and wife, Williams, Fitzstubbs, Gill, Manachi, Valiange, Steel (2), Alexander, Fordham, Mitchell, Dingan, Dr. Brady wife and family, Lieutenant Dalton, Grant, Mesdames Burnett, Thornton, Paymaster Billing.

For NEW ZEALAND: Mr. and Mrs. Nathan and daughter, Mr. Scales, Mr. Rathbone and daughter.

The Rome also brings 65 for all ports in other classes. She sailed for Adelaide at noon.

BANQUET TO MR. J. C. ELLIS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

This evening the friends and supporters of Mr. J. C. Ellis, late candidate for Newcastle West, entertained him at a banquet and presented him with an address at the Princess Royal Hotel, Newcastle. Mr. W. Hillier presided. Mr. E. Banfield proposed "Our Guest," and recapitulated the political and social services rendered to Newcastle by Mr. Ellis, both in and out of Parliament. The toast was drunk with musical honours amidst enthusiasm. The chairman endorsed the remarks, and alluded to Mr. Ellis and Mrs. Ellis's good work for the Newcastle Benevolent Society. He then, on behalf of the committee, presented Mr. Ellis with an illuminated address, expressing confidence in his integrity and honesty of purpose as a legislator, and begging him to accept the address as a token of respect and esteem. (Applause.) Mr. J. C. Ellis, who was received with great applause, warmly returned thanks for the earnest expressions of their approval. He attributed the loss of his seat in Parliament as their representative to having had the courage of his convictions. He would not say whether he would contest Newcastle West or Newcastle East again. He topped the poll at Newcastle East before and might do it again. (Applause.) After thanking them on behalf of his wife and family for the beautiful address, he then, at great length, defended his action in opposing the Government, and justified his assertion that the country's accounts had been cooked. He blamed the Government for dropping the Local Government Bill, and ridiculed the idea of reform of the Upper House. The Lower House wanted reform the most. He referred to the proposed harbour improvements at Newcastle, which, he maintained, if carried out, would do Newcastle a great deal of harm. He said the Southern breakwater should be extended 1000ft. in a slightly more northern direction than at present. This opinion had been endorsed by Mr. Goode; and the Northern breakwater was not necessary at all. If the Northern breakwater was built it would ruin the port of Newcastle. This question was one of the most important occupying the attention of the people of Newcastle. He concluded by saying that if Mr. Reid had stuck to his programme he would have supported him. When he did not he (Mr. Ellis) felt it his duty to oppose him. He again thanked his 249 supporters and his committee, and said he believed they would put him in Parliament if he came forward again. (Applause.) The proceedings were very enthusiastic.

COUNTRY NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE SUGAR-CRUSHING SEASON.

MACLEAN, Friday.

Great quantities of Dupont cane plants have been sent by the company from here to the Richmond River. The farmers' crushing season on the Clarence is now closed, and is generally regarded as the worst on record. The Harwood factory was only kept going 13 weeks instead of six months, and during most part of that time only one milling plant was kept under steam. Cutters earned good cheques. It is reported that next season at Harwood the mill will not start till September instead of July as formerly, owing to the small quantity of fully-matured cane there will be to cut. Two tons of plants from New Guinea, the first shipment ordered by the farmers as a change of stock, arrived this week, but when opened were found to be generally useless. The company therefore decided to take the whole shipment themselves and plant it. The plants were damaged during the storm while a little sailing craft was taking them down to Thursday Island.

THE NORTHERN COLLIERIES.

GRETA, Friday.

The Greta Colliery was idle during the last fortnight, making the second fortnight that no wages have been paid to the miners. For six weeks before that the miners only had about eight days, consequently the workmen are reduced to great distress, most of the storekeepers, owing to severe losses during the previous slack times, having refused to give any credit. A large number of men and many miners have left in search of work, but by far the greater number are unable to get away. It is now officially stated that work will be resumed on Wednesday next, there being two ships in Newcastle—the King Cyrus and the Fanny Kerr—the former taking 1500 tons for Honolulu and the other 3500 tons for San Francisco, sufficient for about a fortnight's work.

It is rumoured that a fresh company, with a capital of £50,000, has been registered to work the Greta pit, with Cowlishaw Brothers at the head of affairs.

The Anvil Creek pit is not working full time owing to the want of waggons.

ILLAWARRA SMELTING WORKS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

Mr. J. Howell, manager of the Australian Smelting Company, visited Lake Illawarra today, and selected a piece of land on Kanahooka Point as a site for the smelting works. The site is considered a splendid one, as water can be pumped from the lake without the slightest difficulty. Coal and coke can be conveyed by rail direct to the works, and when the lake harbour scheme is carried into effect, boats will be able to come right up to the foot of the works, which will be an immense convenience. Plans and surveys will at once be made, and preliminary work in preparing the site will be almost immediately commenced. Mr. Howell says they will use an enormous quantity of bricks for the furnaces, and as bricks of good quality are manufactured in this district, he hopes to obtain a complete supply locally. He was under the impression that he would be able to use the Wollongong harbour in connection with the conveyance of ores forwarded for treatment at the metallurgical works while the lake harbour is in course of construction, but after inspection of the harbour he is convinced that the matter was misrepresented to him. The unloading facilities here, he says, are quite inadequate; but even if they do not use the harbours of this district, they will have the ores brought to Sydney, where they can be unloaded promptly, placed in trucks, and conveyed direct to the works. Mr. Howell hopes to be able to make such representations to the Railway Commissioners as will induce them to grant concessions to enable ores to be brought by rail to Sydney and thence by rail to the smelting works, at a cost not exceeding 4s per ton more than if brought direct to Lake Illawarra. He says he will use a great quantity of coke, and as very fair coke is made in the Illawarra district, the works will consume the local article. Mr. Howell ridicules the idea of the surrounding vegetation or vegetable life being injuriously affected by the smelting works.

WILCANNIA LAND BOARD.

WILCANNIA, Friday.

The local land board concluded its sitting to-night. With regard to the alleged dummying homestead lease case on Murtee, the board, after hearing lengthy evidence, found that Shaw and Davies, holders of Murtee station, were not holders of a homestead lease within the meaning of section 84 of the Crown Lands Act of 1884. Mr. Busby appeared on behalf of Messrs. Shaw and Davies. The case excited unusual interest. The board dealt with two re-appraisements of resumed areas. In the case of Billilla, the board appraised the balance of the resumed area at 12s 3d per section of 640 acres, and Cuthero at 8s 9d per section of 640 acres. The board also dealt with a large number of homestead lease appraisements, none of which exceeded 1d per acre. The chairman leaves for Bourke to-morrow.

GRAFTON CIRCUIT COURT.

GRAFTON, Friday.

The Circuit Court concluded its sittings this morning. The following cases were dealt with:—Pauline Philp, for stealing from a dwelling at Yamba, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, but was dealt with under the First Offenders' Probation Act, and was released on obtaining recognisances for her good behaviour for 12 months. James Gilmore, maliciously setting fire to grass paddocks at South Grafton, two years' hard labour. Jack Camiera, aboriginal, attempted assault at Jackey's Creek, two years' hard labour. Antoine Ross, maliciously setting fire to the Miners' Arms Hotel, Broadwater, Richmond River, five years' hard labour. In this case his Honor suspended the operation of the sentence pending reference to the Full Court of a point as to whether he ruled rightly in sending the case to the jury. Martin Bates, stealing a watch and chain at South Grafton, nine months' hard labour, but was released under the First Offenders Act on finding recognisances to be of good behaviour for 12 months.

CHESS MATCH BY TELEGRAPH.

ALBURY, Friday.

A chess match, Albury versus Wagga Wagga, was played by telegraph last night, resulting in three wins for Wagga, two for Albury, and three games undecided. The winners for Albury were Maynard and R. Kingsmill, who beat Graham and Lyne. The winners for Wagga were Halloran, Thane, and Cameron, who beat Hickie, Hawkins, and F. Heilman.

BERRIDALE, Friday.

Mr. Frank Farnell (president) and Mr. Lindsay George Thompson (member), of the Royal Commission on Fisheries, arrived in Cooma this morning, en route to the Snowy River. The commission was met by Mr. Miller, M.L.A., and Captain Faulkner, the Mayor, who extended a hearty welcome to the visitors, and expressed his pleasure that the Royal Commission was taking a practical interest in stocking the Monaro waters with suitable fish. The commission, who also are accompanied by Messrs. Miller and H. Dawson, left for Buckley's Crossing at 11 a.m., where they will be met by Mr. Rose, of Boloco station, and will be driven to the several streams forming the tributaries of the Snowy. Mr. Farnell brought a number of trout fry, which he intends liberating in the Monaro waters. The commission will take evidence and conclude their labours on Tuesday.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

Lyon's Comic Opera Company, from Adelaide, opened last night at the Cosmopolitan Hall.

Last night the back premises of Wiseman's butcher's shop, in Patton-street, South Broken Hill, were destroyed by fire. Both the South and Central Fire Brigades were quickly on the scene, and there being a plentiful supply of water handy, the fire was extinguished before it got hold of the front portion. Mr. Wiseman estimated his loss at £150, but it is fully covered by insurance.

Kidman Brothers' butchers' premises and their contents, in Argent-street North, destroyed by fire yesterday, were insured in the Commercial Union, the building for £200, and the contents for £50.

BLACKHEATH, Friday.

Captain Boam, D.A.A.G., visited Blackheath yesterday for the purpose of enrolling reserves from the Civilian Rifle Club. A very successful meeting was held, and 28 members were sworn in. They will be affiliated with the 3rd Regiment, Lithgow Company. Captain Boam attends at Mount Victoria to-night.

CULLINGA, Friday.

The supply of milk at the Co-operative Creamery Company is increasing very much as the spring advances. One shilling per lb. was paid for butter made during September.

The crops are improving. Dairy cattle are in better condition and sheep are fat.

Shearing is proceeding on most farms, and the clip is promising well.

CAMDEN, Friday.

An important meeting of dairy farmers was held this afternoon, presided over by Mr. D. Nott, J.P. Mr. Pratten, of Sydney, was present. In regard to the grievance of dairymen wrongfully fined for the supposed watering of milk, it was resolved that the matter should be brought before the Colonial Secretary for redress.

The members of the Camden Mounted Rifles are going to compete for the military events about to take place in Sydney.

Regret is felt at Alderman Noakes's removal from the district.

DENILIQUIN, Friday.

The Deniliquin Horticultural Society held its spring show on Wednesday and Thursday, being opened by the Mayor, Mr. A. B. Jefferson. The attendance was very good. The show of flowers was excellent, as were also the ferns, the table decorations being one of the principal features of the show. Mr. S. G. Gadd, F.R.H.S. of England, and curator of the Bendigo Botanical Gardens, was the sole judge for all sections of exhibits.

To-day has been hotter than yet experienced this season, the thermometer being 95° in the shade.

Grasshoppers are beginning to get numerous about this district, and it is feared that they will eat most of the grass, which is at present only in small patches.

At the last meeting of the Deniliquin Municipal Council a motion was carried that the council clerk be instructed to inform the Government that the council desires that no alteration be made from the present municipal system of this district as regards the division of the municipality into wards until the council clerk had defined the boundaries of the proposed wards, which work would be done within 30 days.

EDEN, Friday.

The whaling barque Phyllis put in to-day to paint and overhaul. The ship encountered severe weather.

EAST MAITLAND, Friday.

The foundation-stone of the new lands offices was laid to-day by Mr. H. A. Fitzpatrick, secretary of the Maitland Land Board, who officiated in the absence of Mr. Vernon, chairman of the Land Board.

Mr. W. A. Jose, University extension lecturer, has completed a course of lectures on the Elizabethan age. As the lectures have been well attended the University authorities have decided to make East Maitland a permanent centre for future operations.

A sale of work in connection with St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church was opened in the Mechanics' Institute to-day by the Rev J. Lamont, of Kogarah.

GLEN INNES, Friday.

The agricultural societies of Glen Innes and Armidale have decided to amalgamate as regards biennial shows, the difficulty which led to the dissolution several months ago having been amicably settled.

GULGONG, Friday.

A large and representative meeting of townspeople was held in the council-chambers last night, Mr. F. W. Russell, the Mayor, in the chair. Dr. Robert Dick was presented with an illuminated address in book form and several medical works. The doctor has been compelled to leave here through ill-health. Dr. J. L. Martin M'Creadie, from Prince Alfred Hospital, has taken over the practice, and has been appointed surgeon to the local hospital. Regret is expressed at Dr. Dick's departure.

GERMANTON, Friday.

Shearing is proceeding satisfactorily at all stations around. Labour is abundant, and everything is going on quietly. The price at the machine sheds is 17s per 100, and shears 18s per 100, under either the pastoralists' or station agreement. The men are well satisfied. The season promises well; grass is growing fast, and stock is improving.

GRETA, Friday.

The continued dry weather is again playing havoc with the crops, and complaints from the farmers are general. A slight fall of rain a few weeks back made the crops look fresh, but the continued dryness and the heat have commenced to parch everything up again. The outlook for the farmers is very gloomy.

Captain Hilliard, adjutant of the 4th Regiment, yesterday at Branxton enrolled about a dozen reserves to be attached to the Singleton Company of Volunteers.

The municipal council is trying to cope with the unemployed difficulty by finding work on the various roads of the municipality. The new courthouse now building is also finding employment for a number of men.

INVERELL, Friday.

The Inverell District Public Schools' Athletic Association will hold its first meeting on Wednesday next. Over 1000 entries have been received so far, and they are expected to be further increased. A public holiday has been proclaimed for all schools within a radius of 20 miles.

KEMPSEY, Friday.

A number of serious cases of influenza are reported. A woman named Cox died at Kempsey yesterday from the effects of influenza.

LITHGOW, Friday.

In the coal trade operations this week were rather quieter, and half time will be about the average.

A gang of 15 men left here during the week to participate in forest-thinning in the Narrandera district.

At the Hartley Vale shale mines work is not too brisk. Shale-mining and prospecting of shale properties are being vigorously prosecuted in the Capertee district. Other mining in the district is uneventful.

The weather is very warm and dry. The rainfall for the week was 35 points.

MACLEAN, Friday.

The Shark Creek Public school has been closed owing to the lack of attendance.

Mr. Dunnicliffe, from the Department of Agriculture, who has been sent to the district for the purpose of assisting the farmers who have suffered losses by the floods, distributed a large quantity of seeds of various kinds on Tuesday and Wednesday last. He now goes to the Richmond on a similar mission.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Friday.

A well-attended and influential meeting was held last night (Rev. T. J. Heffernan in the chair) in the matter of erecting an obelisk at the extremity of Mount York in commemoration of the early explorers Blaxland, Wentworth, and Lawson. Interesting correspondence was read, and various steps were discussed and taken to further the object.

A team of six members of the Civilian Rifle Club, consisting of Captain C. W. Prott, the champion shot, and Messrs. Winser, Norris, Robey, Bettington, and Delaney, intend taking part in the Rifle Association's meeting at Sydney next week.

Extensive bush fires are visible on the mountains in the direction of Hampton.

The weather is delightful, and stock are beginning to recover from the effects of the winter.

MURRUMBURRAH, Friday.

At an inquest held here to-day touching the destruction of the Commercial Hotel at Harden the jury found the following verdict:—"We find the premises in Neill-street, Harden, known as the Commercial Hotel, Harden, were destroyed by fire on the morning of the 16th instant; but how the fire originated there is no evidence to show. We further find that there is no evidence at all against the accused before the Court." The prisoner Hughes was then discharged.

NARRABRI, Friday.

At to-day's land board Hunt's application for an original conditional purchase was disallowed. The board retired to consider the case, eventually deciding that the applicant already owned the full area. According to the terms of the 1895 Act the owner of a full area allotted is not competent to apply for a further area. The case created much interest, and is regarded as a test case as to the right of selectors to apply for further holdings under the new Act.

The weather is very hot, with no signs of an approaching change.

Wool teams are again commencing to travel after the recent rains.

NOWRA, Friday.

The revenue of the police and Crown lands office for the September quarter was £565.

Mr. Alexander Hay delivered a lecture here in connection with the School of Arts last night on his trip to Europe. The lecture was illustrated by excellent limelight views.

The Jindiandy Dairy Company received last month 59,928 gallons of milk, which yielded 24,643lb. of butter. The average test was 3·72. Suppliers were paid 14¼d for butter fat, equal to 5¼d per gallon of milk.

The Numba Council has declined to take the responsibility of maintaining the drains on a portion of the Berry Estate within the municipality.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

There has been very little doing in the wool industry this week. Arrivals have been very few, comparatively speaking. The arrivals to date are 21,742 bales. Those for the corresponding period of last year were 24,408 bales.

PAMBULA, Friday.

It has been decided to hold the annual flower show at Pambula on the 8th and 9th November.

The amount forwarded to the Bega Hospital from the proceeds of the late ball held here was £16 18s 6d.

Mr. C. A. Baddeley, J.P., a resident here, has been nominated as district coroner for the Eden police district, in place of Mr. F. B. Hales, P.M., resigned.

Nearly 700 acres of land within a mile or two of the township have been surveyed, and will be thrown open for selection as homestead selection areas at the end of this month. The lots vary from about 12 to 56 acres, and comprise some rich land near the Pambula River.

WENTWORTH, Friday.

The sittings of the local land board have been held here this week and were concluded yesterday after a very formidable list of cases had been dealt with, Messrs. Fred. Trollope (chairman), W. Bowring, J.P., and T. H. Wilkinson, P.M., presiding. The town has been filled with visitors during the week in consequence.

The intimation that the Government intend calling for tenders for the work in connection with the Wentworth irrigation scheme has caused much interest, the general opinion being that the success of the scheme will be ensured. As an instance of the keen interest with which the movement is watched, two residents, one of whom intended giving up business, were about to leave the district, and have now abandoned the idea, and are waiting further developments.

The weather is very dry, with no sign of rain as yet.

YASS, Friday.

Mrs. Brennan, wife of Mr. Inspector Brennan, died this morning.

Dr. Chalmers, Bishop of Goulburn, arrived at Yass this evening, and was met at the station by a number of leading townspeople. He will hold a confirmation at Murrumbateman to-morrow afternoon, and at Yass and Bowning on Sunday.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

The annual picnic in connection with St. Mary's (Anglican) Sunday school was held to-day at Aberglasslyn.

A successful concert was given in connection with the Girls' High School in the School of Arts last night.

The weather continues warm and dry, and bush fires are again spreading in the outlying districts. More rain is badly wanted by the farmers.

With reference to a telegram from Katoomba published in our issue of Tuesday last we are informed that the heading "Horsewhipping a J.P." has given rise to some misunderstanding. It should be understood that the heading was not intended to convey any reflection against Dr. Prangley.

CAPSIZE OF A KETCH.

SEVEN LIVES LOST.

FIVE BODIES RECOVERED.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

HOBART, Friday.

News came to hand to-day that the ketch G. H. V., about 30 tons register, trading between Launceston and the North-west Coast ports, capsized off Long Island on Sunday night. All on board, seven in number, were drowned. Five bodies have been recovered. So far as is known at present, the ketch carried four passengers and a crew of three. The passengers were Mrs. W. H. Ferguson, wife of a selector resident at Flinders Island; Miss Pauline Garrett, aged 15; James Milligan, and A. Newitt. The ketch is understood to have been in charge of Captain Wm. Holyman at the time of the fatality. She was bound to Flinders Island.

LATER.

News of the wreck of the ketch G. H. V. was brought by Constable Napier, who arrived at George's Bay in a cutter from the Straits. He reported that the ketch went down off Cape Barren.

The ketch was 14 tons register, and belonged to Mr. F. C. Cutts, of Launceston. She was under contract to carry mails to the Straits Islands. She was apparently driven on the rocks by a heavy gale. The mails were washed ashore damaged, but are decipherable, and have been forwarded to their destination.

OUR FIJI LETTER.

SUVA, Oct. 5.

The month of September passed with little to interest the colonists. Politically the only matters discussed were the attacks on Sir John Thurston. The manner in which these attacks were received and treated in official circles in London was exactly as expected by 99 out of every 100 in Fiji. Without doubt Sir John Thurston is to be credited with the present satisfactory position of the finances, and among the races of the Pacific Islands he stands pre-eminent as understanding native character and able to rule firmly, and so as to win the respect and esteem of all. The replies given by Sir John are endorsed here.

The last four weeks have been very fine, but warm. The beautiful cool weather has given place to summer heat.

Shipping has been again brisk. The following vessels have arrived at Suva and sailed with cargoes as follows:—Birksgate from Sydney 14th September, sailing 19th with 1000 bunches bananas and ore shipped from Noumea; Ovalau from Auckland, via Tonga and Samoa, on 15th, sailing for Auckland, via Tonga, on 16th with 700 tons sugar; Taupo from Auckland on 16th, sailing on 23rd for Auckland with 700 tons sugar; Upolu on 19th, sailing for Auckland on 24th with 550 tons sugar, 50 tons copra, 4000 bunches and 1700 cases bananas; Fiona on 19th from Sydney, sailing for Auckland on 29th with 820 tons sugar; Taviuni from Sydney on 21st, sailing on 23rd for Levuka, Samoa, and Tonga; Taieri from Melbourne, via Sydney, on 27th, latter steamer being at present at Ba discharging coal and shipping sugar.

The fire on board the Elsinore in Levuka completely gutted the vessel. After burning for 10 hours she foundered in four fathoms. The loss to the insurance companies will be heavy. Some 600 tons of copra was lost valued at £6000, and the hull, the property of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, was insured for £300.

The colony is to receive another blow by the closing of the Holmhurst Sugar Estate on Taviuni. Arrangements are being concluded with the Colonial Sugar Company to take over the coolie labour, and February next will probably see the mill idle and forsaken, similar to the Deuba, Koronivia, and Selia Levu mills. This is much to be regretted, but the extra low price of sugar leaves losses year by year which proprietors have decided to stop.

H.M.S. Waterwitch is completing the survey of the north coast of Venua Levu, and H.M.S. Pylades has made two voyages among the islands, conveying the Acting Governor to several places on official business. Matters all through the group are quiet, and the native food crops have completely recovered from the effects of the hurricane of January last.

SUVA, Oct. 11.

New capacious stores are being erected in Suva for Messrs. Henry Marks and Co., and when completed will be the finest business premises in Fiji.

H.M.S. Pylades is still away with the Acting Governor, visiting the northern part of the group. On a recent trip to the island of Taviuni the son of Ratu Lala, the chief of Cakadrove, was christened. Captain Adams landed with the Acting Governor, and the ceremony was performed with all the pomp and splendour possible. I say splendour because the arrangements made were very complete, and the foot was one mass of pure white tappa, which made an exceedingly pretty centrepiece in the room.

The barque Ymer has cleared for Lisbon with 1000 tons copra. The first favourable breeze will take her to sea.

MR. B. R. WISE ON THE MINISTRY

THE LAND TAX AND THE FINANCES.

Last night Mr. B. R. Wise addressed a meeting of the Flinders Freetrade and Liberal Association at the St. Michael's Schoolroom, Fitzroy-street, taking for his subject "The Land Tax and Exemptions." Mr. Wise said there had been so little criticism of the proposals of the Ministry that the majority of voters did not know what they really were. Most people believed that if Mr. Reid's proposals were carried Sydney would practically become a free port. Nothing of the kind would really be the result. All his policy would do would be to abolish the Dibbs duties, which ought to have been taken off 14 months ago. If the Ministerial proposals in their entirety became law to-morrow, all the illogical duties on raw materials, all the oppressive anomalies of the old tariff, would still remain in existence and press their unjust incidence upon commerce and industry. It was true that the bill provided that after some years these duties should cease to be collected; but what Treasurer could anticipate the future, or who could be sure that when the time came for their removal it would be found possible or expedient to do without them?

There was only one way to make their abolition certain, viz.—to provide for a sufficiency of revenue to enable the Treasurer of the day to dispense with the duties at a fixed date. But this had not been done. The key to the situation was to be found in the state of the finances. If the Treasurer was making both ends meet, and getting together a surplus, then there was a prospect of getting rid of some more duties next year or the year after. If, on the other hand, the finances were in hopeless disorder, and the country was really getting into debt, then the prospect of removing the duties began to vanish, and the conviction must be borne in upon everyone that the great achievements of the Ministry rested not in deeds, but in empty unsubstantial promises. The determination of the matter depended on the facts as to the finances. He was not going to enter into any lengthy financial discussion, but it was necessary to point out a few salient facts. In the first place it was noticeable that every one agreed that the financial anticipations of the Treasurer wound not be realised, and that his methods were unsound and indefensible. Sir G. Dibbs and Mr. Garvan might be hostile critics; but their criticism was endorsed in every word by every member of the Assembly who spoke on the Government side with any knowledge of finance. Mr. M'Millan on his return endorsed every word which he (Mr. Wise) and Sir George Dibbs had previously urged in vain against the Budget, and Mr. M'Millan's views were which had been expressed repeatedly by Mr. Martin, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Abbott, and others. It did not require a great knowledge of the mysteries of finance to understand the point of these criticisms. They were directed to three matters which he would very briefly explain. The old method of keeping the national accounts was to charge every expense to the year in which the vote was taken under which it was authorised. Thus, if in 1891 a sum of £100,000 were voted for a bridge, and the money was not spent until 1895, the expenditure would be debited to 1894, and not to the year in which it occurred. This system had been altered by Mr. Reid to what he terms the cash system of bookkeeping, under which all moneys would be charged to the year in which they were spent. It would be obvious that in changing from one system to the other there would be large sums spent during the first year of the new system on account of votes which were agreed to in previous years. Roughly speaking, these amounted for the year 1895-6 to about £1,000,000. This million of money had been charged by the Treasurer to the deficiency account, and had been liquidated by a loan which had been raised in London last week. Thus the first cause of complaint was that during the first year of Mr. Reid's administration he had spent something like a million of money out of loans, which had been spent for ordinary public revenue purposes, and as part of the consolidated revenue, and was never authorised as loan expenditure, and ought never to have been charged to loan account. The second cause of complaint was that, while Mr. Reid charged all expenditure on account of previous years to the deficiency account, he did not credit that account with the savings arising from the unexpended balances of previous votes, but took them into current revenue. Yet it was clear that if it were right to debit 1894 with all sums expended in 1895, which were voted in the previous year, it was only right that the credit side of the account should be treated in the same way. The third cause of complaint was that the Treasurer had taken advantage of the alteration in the date of the close of the financial year from December to July to evade his statutory responsibility to make certain special appropriations, and had carried these over to as a charge to next year in order to create a fictitious surplus from the current year. For example, several statutes provided that the Treasurer should make a yearly allowance of certain sums for certain special objects. Mr. Reid interpreted the word "yearly" in the statute as meaning the calendar year, whereas it clearly did mean the financial year; and by this device he avoided a large amount of payments, and carried forward a sum of nearly £300,000 to burden the expenditure of next year. The importance of all these considerations lay in the fact that if these criticisms were well founded it would be impossible for the Treasurer to redeem his promises of making further reductions in the tariff next year; and no Treasurer ought to be credited with repealing duties merely because he promises to do so at a future date if he has the money. These criticisms were not being made for the first time, but unfortunately the morning press appeared to have abandoned the functions of criticism towards Mr. Reid's finance, and consequently the position of those who questioned the solidity of the Ministerial achievements had never got properly before the people. Mr. Wise then spoke at some length on the question of exemptions, arguing that the admissions of the Ministry that the Council had power to amend the machinery bill deprived them of all right to complain that the exercise of that power was any invasion of the rights of the Assembly. The exemptions were in principle odious, and of no practical value. There were no exemptions in the land tax of South Australia, New Zealand, or Tasmania. There was now a chance of getting a land tax if the exemptions were abandoned. The only obstacle was the conduct of the Ministry at the last election. They had refused before the dissolution to give the Upper House an opportunity of passing the bill without exemptions; and if they gave way now they must no doubt admit that they had put the country to the trouble of a useless dissolution, and that the cause which he (Mr. Wise) and others had urged was right, and that when the Council rejected the land tax because of the President ruling that exemptions could not be touched by amendment Parliament should have been prorogued for a day, and a new bill sent up with no exemptions in it from the land tax. Had this been done, they would have had fiscal rest and freedom of trade many months ago. Even now, although it might not be pleasant to admit an error, the plain duty of the Government was to accept the Council's amendment as to exemptions. For surely the reality desired by all Liberals was not the exemptions, but the land tax.

At the conclusion of his address Mr. Wise was heartily applauded.

DEATH OF MR. JAMES PERRY.

A general feeling of regret was experienced in sporting circles yesterday afternoon, when it became known that Mr. James Perry, the secretary of Tattersall's Club, had passed over to the great majority. Few men were better known and esteemed in the world of sport than Mr. Perry, for at different periods he occupied the position of secretary to the N.S.W. Cricket Association, the N.S.W. Gun Club, and the N.S.W. Coursing Club, while for the last 16 years he acted in a similar capacity to Tattersall's Club. He was also an ardent yachtsman, and was a member of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron. His straightforward conduct and trustworthiness, quiet and unassuming demeanour, and his courteous and obliging disposition, gained him the respect and esteem of all with whom he came in contact, and to his sterling ability the position which Tattersall's Club now occupies is mainly due. At the race meetings held at Randwick since he has been connected with Tattersall's Club, he has always been entrusted with a responsible position. Until about a year ago he was possessed of robust health, but since then he contracted consumption, to which he succumbed at 3 p.m. yesterday, in St. Vincent's Hospital, having entered that institution on Wednesday. The funeral will leave St. Vincent's Hospital at 1.30 p.m. to-day, and the remains will be interred in the Rookwood Cemetery.

BALMAIN LIFE-SAVING SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Balmain branch of the New South Wales Life-saving Society was held on Wednesday evening in Dick's Assembly Rooms, Beattie-street. Dr. P. J. Kelly occupied the chair. The annual report submitted by Mr. E. Davis (hon. secretary) showed that there was a total membership of 46. The election of officers resulted as follows:—Patron, Hon. J. Garrard; president, Dr. P. J. Kelly; vice-presidents, the Mayor of Balmain (Alderman A. M. Milne) and the aldermen, Rev. Walter Mathison, B.A., Rev. W. A. Charlton, the principals of the Superior Public schools of the district, and Mr. W. Cornish; hon. treasurer, Mr. T. Kinninmont; hon. secretary, Mr. E. Davis; drill instructors, Dr. P. J. Kelly, Messrs. J. Taylor (captain Balmain S. S.), S. Collyer, and T. Kinninmont; committee, Messrs. T. Wilkinson, S. H. P. Burns, T. Banks, J. H. Laws, G. Bailey, D. Gilles, A. W. Griffiths, H. Waites, D. Boyd, F. Waterhouse, J. M'Bride, and G. Easton.

LOCAL OPTION LEAGUE.

A meeting of the council of the above league was held on Monday afternoon in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, when there was a large attendance of members. A letter was received relative to the renewal of a license, but too late for any action to be taken. The report of the committee appointed to confer with the members of the W.C.T.U. was received. The president and Messrs. Gow and Crispin were appointed to confer with the members of the Independent Order of Rechabites at the next quarterly meeting of that society. A motion, of which notice had been given by the Rev. E. Price bearing upon the course of action to be taken during Parliamentary elections, provoked a long and animated discussion. The motion, however, was lost, on the casting vote of the chairman. A further motion, in the direction of altering the test question to be put to candidates for Parliamentary honours, was, after discussion, withdrawn.

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THE DEAN CASE.

THE CHARGE OF PERJURY AGAINST MRS. REYNOLDS.

The charge of perjury preferred against Mrs. Reynolds in respect of evidence given by her before the Royal Commission on the Dean case will be heard at the Water Police Court on Wednesday next. The summons has been lodged by Detective Hinds. It charges Jane Reynolds with having on 23rd May, 1895, at Sydney, before the commissioners appointed to make investigations in the case of George Dean, on whom sentence of death was passed for the crime of administering poison with intent to kill Mary Dean, wilfully and falsely sworn in substance as follows:—That you had seen the original of that photograph at your place at the hotel between eight and nine months ago (meaning thereby that you, Jane Reynolds, had seen Mary Dean, the wife of George Dean, at your hotel in Riley-street, Surry Hills); that the person you were speaking of (meaning Mary Dean) had a jacket resembling that (meaning thereby like the jacket represented in the photograph); that she (meaning Mary Dean) came to your house twice, and you recognised her at once when you saw her again; she (meaning Mary Dean) said she came from Madame Rose's, that she had been there, and that she had been drinking wine the night previously; she told you she was the wife of a captain living at North Shore; she had a cab waiting for her all the time at the door; she came in the cab and went away in a cab; the person you (Jane Reynolds) picked out in the presence of a detective and others at the Sydney Hospital on Friday last (meaning Friday, 23rd May last) was the person you had spoken about at the conversation in the hotel; she said that her husband was away all night; she was drinking beer, and she was out in the yard very sick; that you (Jane Reynolds) swore it was Mrs. Dean who came to your hotel and had the conversation, that she (meaning Mary Dean) had the appearance of a woman who had been drinking heavily the night before, and that she was more drunk than sober. The foregoing information was sworn before Mr. J. M. A. Bonthorne, J.P., deputy chamber magistrate, at the Water Police Court.

ANALYSES OF THE SOOT.

8 GRAINS OF ARSENIC PER LB. OF SOOT.

The following is the report made by Mr. Hamlet, the Government Analyst, in regard to the soot taken from the chimneys of the house in which Dean lived at North Sydney:—"I have the honour to report that on the 10th instant, on my return from Deniliquin, I received from Mr. Doherty the following 16 packages relating to the Dean case, all properly tied over, sealed, and labelled, each bag or package being signed by Mr. Inspector Cotter, and dated 8th October, 1895. No. 1 was a bag labelled 'Dean's kitchen, soot from top of register.' On making a preliminary examination of the contents I found a quantity of flue-dust, soot, unconsumed fuel, together with fragments of charred paper, feathers, string fibres, and onion skin. Upon chemical examination of an average sample of the same, I discovered traces of arsenic therein. Bags numbered 2, 3, and 4 were similar in appearance and composition, and were found to contain distinct traces of arsenic. Bag No. 5 was labelled 'Dean's kitchen, pure soot from chimney.' In this I found fragments of hempen, woollen, cotton, and wood fibre, and traces of arsenic. Bag No. 6, labelled 'Dean's kitchen chimney, rough wood soot,' was mixed with lumps of plaster and dried mortar, and contained traces of arsenic. Bag No. 7, labelled 'Dean's kitchen, soot from stovepipe,' also contained traces of arsenic. Bag No. 8, labelled 'Dean's kitchen, ashes from stove,' was found to contain cinders, unburnt coke, stones, clinkers, partly-burnt firewood, a burnt screw, a pen, an iron nail, fragments of cotton fabric, and apple peelings; no arsenic found. Bag No. 9, labelled 'Dean's kitchen, ashes from stove,' was found to be the usual ashes derived from wood and coke, and contained no arsenic. Bag No. 10 was labelled 'Dean's kitchen, soot from stove.' This was found to be flue-dust, and contained a relatively large proportion of arsenic. From a quarter of an ounce taken for analysis nearly one-eighth of a grain of arsenic (0·122 grain) was found, or nearly 8grs. per pound of the flue-dust. Bag No. 11, labelled 'Soot and ashes from copper,' was found to contain no arsenic. Bag No. 12, labelled 'Soot from dining-room chimney,' contained no arsenic. This soot appeared to be derived from wood, straw, and leaves of grass-tree. No. 13, 'Scrapings from a spot on the hearthstone in Mrs. Dean's bedroom,' was found to be composed of soda and whiting. Bag No. 14, 'Soot from chimney in front room, ground floor,' was found to contain no arsenic. Package No. 15 contained a rusty old key. No. 16 contained a fragment of paper found inside the stove amongst the soot from Dean's kitchen. The piece of paper was a fragment of the *Sydney Morning Herald* for 31st October, 1894. Upon analysis the paper was found to contain traces of arsenic. I am of opinion that these results point to the fact that arsenic has been introduced into the fireplace of the stove of Dean's kitchen, and that the heat of the fire has caused the arsenic to be volatilised and distributed in the flues, stove-pipe, and register, but chiefly in the flue nearest the fire, as shown in sample bag No. 10, where it would appear that a large proportion of the arsenic had sublimed and had afterwards condensed amongst the soot and the flue-dust. From a minute examination of soot, flue-dust, and ashes, I am of opinion that the fuel used in the stove was most probably wood and coke. Hence the question as to the natural presence of arsenic in coals loses much of its significance, since coke is a residuum obtained in the destructive distillation of coal. With the endeavour to try and solve the difficulty the sweep who swept Dean's chimneys has provided me with specimens of soot taken from a similar stove where it is known that nothing but coke and wood had been used. This soot, on being submitted to chemical analysis, was found to be absolutely free from arsenic."

VISITORS TO DEAN.

Dean was visited in Darlinghurst Gaol yesterday afternoon by Miss Finch, his half-sister, who was accompanied by a lady friend. The interview lasted about 20 minutes.

DEAN'S LEGAL ADVISERS.

It was stated in yesterday's issue that Dean's solicitor had to obtain an authority to see him. We are asked to expain that after Dean pleaded guilty and confessed everything, he never asked to be allowed to see a solicitor. An order was made that he was not to see strangers, but directly after he asked to see a solicitor he was allowed to do so.

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

NEWTOWN.

A meeting of the above council was held on 15th October. There were present: The Mayor (Alderman Morgan), and Aldermen W. Rigg, M.L.A., J. F. Smith, Howe, Salmon, Cox, Parker, Ibbotson, Elstup, King, and M'Cann. Marrickville Council wrote requesting council to arrange for a meeting of the lighting committees to discuss the lighting of Juliet-street and Edgeware-road. It was decided to arrange a meeting as requested. A communication from Waterloo Council, asking council to co-operate in having Lachlan-street, Waterloo, extended through Moore Park to Randwick-road, was received and council unanimously decided to co-operate in the matter. On the motion of Alderman Salmon it was unanimously decided to co-operate in a movement inaugurated by the Leichhardt Council to secure a system of penny sections on all trams. The inspector of nuisances reported that there were a number of stray horses wandering about the borough. He was of opinion that they had been turned out to die, as he was unable to find owners for them. Alderman Cox said he understood the poundkeeper refused to take charge of them. Alderman Smith said the poundkeeper could be compelled to take them in. The Mayor promised to attend to the matter. Alderman Elstub moved,—"That the charge for the use of the Town Hall for religious services on Sunday afternoons should be reduced from 10s to 4s." The Mayor pointed out that the resolution fixing the tariff would first have to be rescinded. Alderman M'Cann thought the hall should be used as little as possible on Sundays, as it necessitated the attendance of the caretaker, who should not be required to work on Sundays.

MANLY.

A meeting of the above council was held on Tuesday evening in the council-chambers. The Mayor (Alderman H. E. Farmer) presided. There were also present Aldermen German, Passau, Towns, Fletcher, Scarr, Carroll, Montagu, and Warburton. A letter was read from F. Hillier asking permission of the council to erect a shooting-gallery in connection with merry-go-round now on Corso. Granted. A letter was read from residents in Francis-street, asking the council to adopt some measures for better sanitation in that street. This was referred to works committee. Applications for licenses as milk vendors were received from Mrs. Whitaker and Mrs. Burns. These were granted.

ERSKINEVILLE.

This council met on the 14th October. There were present—the Mayor (Alderman Jacobsen) and Aldermen Peake, Robinson, Anderson, Schuler, Wilson, and Tucker. Newtown Council wrote, in reply to a communication complaining of water overflowing into Erskineville, stating that the matter had been referred to their works committee. Mrs. Elizabeth Smith wrote, offering to dedicate to council a 20ft. lane at the rear of some properties in Erskineville-road. The matter was referred to the works committee.

LANE COVE.

This council met on Monday last, when Alderman Roberts (Mayor) presided. On the motion of Alderman Baun, it was resolved to call tenders for 300 tons of ironstone, and on that of Alderman Catt to accept the dedication of streets in the Berry's estate. The latter alderman also moved,—"That the Minister of Lands be written and requested to resume the land fronting Kenneth-street, Stuart-street, William Edward-street, and Duncois-street, now used as a cricket and football ground, according to plans and specifications forwarded, with a view to the area being dedicated to the Lane Cove Council." This was agreed to.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

Merriwa Race Club and Tabletop Shearers' race meetings were yesterday granted registration by the A.J.C. authorities.

Owners and trainers of racehorses are reminded that entries for the following events on the programme for the two-days' meeting to be held at Rosehill on the 2nd and 9th November will be received by the secretary, Mr. P. O'Mara, up to 5 p.m. on Monday:—First day: Granville Stakes, a handicap of 50 sovs., for all horses that have never won a race of the value of 45 sovs. at the time of starting, 6 furlongs; Hurdle Race, a handicap of 60 sovs., about 2 miles; Flying Handicap of 50 sovs., 6½ furlongs; Amateur Plate, a handicap of 50 sovs., amateur riders registered by the Rosehill Racing Club, lowest weight 9st 7lb, 6½ furlongs; Rosehill November Handicap of 100 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, 1¼ mile and 100 yards; and Welter Mile, a handicap of 50 sovs., lowest weight 8st, 1 mile. Second day: Prince's Handicap of 50 sovs., 6 furlongs; Steeplechase, a handicap of 60 sovs., second horse 5 sovs. from the prize, about 2½ miles; Corinthian Mile, a handicap of 50 sovs., amateur riders registered by the Rosehill Racing Club, lowest weight 9st, 1 mile; Birthday Handicap, a handicap of 100 sovs., second horse 10 sovs. from the prize, 1 mile 3 furlongs; Juvenile Stakes of 50 sovs., for two years old, colts 8st 3lb, fillies and geldings 8st, 4 furlongs; and Flying Welter, a handicap of 50 sovs., lowest weight 8st 7lb, 6½ furlongs. The full conditions are set forth in our business columns.

There was a fair amount of business transacted in the local betting market yesterday, and it was principally confined to the Caulfield Cup. Hopscotch was backed to win about £500 at 4 to 1, with that price still on offer. Bruin steadily advanced in the quotations. Starting at 100 to 8, he was backed to win over £1000, and at the finish 100 to 14 was the best obtainable. Preston met with some support at 100 to 10. Wagers amounting to £500 or £600 each were registered about Atlas and Trenchant at 100 to 8, and similar support was accorded to Havoc at 100 to 6. A few hundreds were booked about The Admiral at 100 to 5, and Newman had friends who accepted a few stray hundreds at 100 to 4, with 100 to 5 on offer at the close. 100 to 4 was taken about Devon. Burrabari, Duhallow, Monastery, Taranaki, and Toreador were each backed to win 600 or 700 at 100 to 3, and at 100 to 2 Straban, Waterfall, and Solanum were marketable. Wallace was a shade easier for the V.R.C. Derby, 6 to 4 being on offer; 4 to 1 could be got about Auraria, and 7 to 1 was obtainable about any other. A few hundreds were written against Delaware for the Melbourne Cup at 100 to 8, but nothing else was touched. The card for the Caulfield Cup was read at City Tattersall's Club last evening with the following results:—9 to 2 v. Hopscotch, taken and offered, 5 to 1 wanted; 100 to 12 v. Bruin, taken and offered; 100 to 7 v. Trenchant, taken and offered, 100 to 6 wanted; 100 to 6 v. Atlas, taken and offered; 100 to 6 v. Preston, taken and wanted, 100 to 7 offered; 100 to 5 v. The Admiral and Hova, taken and offered; 100 to 4 v. Havoc, taken and wanted; 100 to 3 to 100 to 1 v. others.

Mr. George Kiss announces a sale of racing ponies to be held at his bazaar on Monday next at noon, when such good performers as Wilga and Westwood will be brought under the hammer.

V.A.T.C. SPRING MEETING.

SECOND DAY.

The second chapter in the great equine campaign will be discussed at Caulfield this afternoon, when an excellent bill of fare will be placed before the race-loving public. Trouble will commence with the Maiden Plate, and the honours may go to Onward, Osculator, and Maluma as named. The Nursery Handicap is a somewhat difficult matter to handle, and on late form the prospects of Ariki, Norroy, and Kobold seem to be about the most attractive. Judged from the lengthy list of acceptors, the field for the principal event of the meeting, the Caulfield Cup, is likely to be the most numerous that has yet gone to the post for that important event. Shortly after the appearance of the weights, The Admiral came in for a deal of support, and at one time ruled as favourite, but the racehorse-like manner in which Hopscotch appropriated the A.J.C. Epsom Handicap and the Wycombe Stakes had the effect of establishing him in the position of honour. He has continued to harden in the market each day, and will probably go to the post at even a shorter figure than that quoted at the time of writing. He was originally handicapped at 7st 10lb, but his Epsom victory earned him a 14lb penalty, and even with the extra stone up he is such a perfect exponent of the art of galloping that those who follow his fortunes bid fair to come out of the battle on the right side of the game. Atlas showed great improvement on his Randwick running by securing the Caulfield Stakes on Saturday last, and on that form he must stand in need of a deal of beating, for he is nicely handicapped, has a rare dash of foot, and is evidently on the improving grade. Hova is another that cannot be overlooked with safety; and now that Preston's owners have definitely decided to start him, he must command more than passing respect. Bruin is held in high esteem by many good judges across the border; and Devon, Taranaki, Havoc, The Admiral, and Quiver each and all have supporters; while an impression has gained ground that Trenchant is more in favour than Atlas with Allsop's party. Be that as it may, public form points directly to Hopscotch as the winner, and he should get home from Atlas, Hova, Preston, and Bruin; while Mr. Oxenham has a very good outside chance with Waterfall, who has been shaping very well in his work of late. Romsdal, Baltoro, and Dart may appropriate the places in the Steeplechase; and Gaillardia, Hindoo, and Ayrshire should be among the hardest to beat in the Windsor Handicap.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The following scratchings were notified at the V.A.T.C. office to-day:—Caulfield Cup: Trentham. Windsor Handicap: Sylvan Prince, Wallace, and Trentham. Maiden Plate: Trentham. Second Steeplechase: Stornaway.

MELBOURNE BETTING MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Speculation over the Caulfield Cup was pretty lively to-day. The most consistently backed horses were Hopscotch, Bruin, Preston, Havoc, Atlas, Trenchant, and The Admiral; but Hova was knocked back to any price. In all about £2000 was secured. Hopscotch was at 5 to 1; while at 100 to 10 Bruin was backed for a thousand or so. About Preston 1000 to 100 and 1000 to 110 were booked. Havoc was backed at 1000 to 75. Atlas was supported to win 1500 at 100 to 7, and Trenchant for 1000 at the same rate of odds. Devon was easier, but he was backed at longer prices offering, and amongst the outsiders Monastery, Royal Master, and Duhallow were in good request. Auraria shortened to 4 to 1 for the Derby. Hova received substantial backing for the Melbourne Cup, all the money at 100 to 5 being accepted, and 2000 to 100 went down to Auraria. Very little business was done at the midday reading of the card at the Victorian Club. Havoc was backed at 100 to 6 and 100 to 7 for about £1000, and about £3000 was taken about Hopscotch at 5 to 1. About Quiver 1000 to 20 was booked, and Eiridsforde was backed for £400 at 100 to 3. At the evening reading of the card Havoc received further support to the extent of a few hundreds at 100 to 5; and £1500 was secured about The Admiral at 100 to 6. About £1000 went down to Atlas at 100 to 7. Bruin was backed at 100 to 8 and 100 to 8½ for about £1000. About Preston £200 to £22 was the only wager recorded. Bradford was supported at 1000 to 10, and afterwards at 500 to 10, and £1000 was taken about Chesterman at 100 to 1. Monastery, at 100 to 3½, was backed to the extent of £700. Later in the evening The Admiral was well supported at 100 to 8 and 100 to 9 and 100 to 10. Wagers of £1000 to £40 were taken about *Newman*, and 1000 to 80 was taken about Atlas. Bruin hardened again, 100 to 9 being taken.

The following are the closing prices:—

Caulfield Cup.—5 to 1 Hopscotch, 100 to 12 Preston, 100 to 10 The Admiral, 100 to 9 each Bruin and Havoc, 100 to 8 Atlas, 100 to 7 Trenchant, 100 to 4 Monastery and Newman, 100 to 3 Royal Master, Duhallow, and Waterfall, 100 to 2½ Eiridsforde, Devon, and Quiver, 100 to 2 The Possible, Lord Richmond, Burrabari, Taranaki, Ayrshire, The Heroine, Solanum, and Bradford, 100 to 1½ Aureus, Strahan, Chesterman, Mischief, and Toreador, and 100 to 1 the others.

MOOREFIELD OCTOBER MEETING.

The Moorefield October reunion takes place to-day on the picturesque trysting-place overlooking Botany Bay, and the bill of fare provided for the occasion gives promise of good sport. As usual, the management have made due provision for their patrons, and the track is reported to be in good order. The ordinary service by rail to Kogarah will be supplemented by special trains starting from Redfern at 12.38, 12.55, 1.5, and 1.17 p.m., while the horse tram leaves at 11.50 a.m. Racing commences at 2 p.m., and the first item on the bill of fare, the Brush Hurdle Race, will be rather interesting, and the places will be apt to go to True Blue, who is said to be a bit of a gentleman, Satanella, and Brooklyn. The field for the Tramway Handicap will not be numerous, and Lord Marion, Lieutenant, and Waltzer may occupy the places as named. Hotspur should be able to secure the Welter Handicap from Glendennon and Algiers, and Telegraph, Jack o'Lantern, and J.O. bid fair to rattle home in the order named for the Kogarah Stakes. In the more than probable absence of The Trier, the places for the Moorefield Handicap should go to Gozoreina, Triton, and Valiant. The winner of the Stewards' Mile is well hidden, but figures seem to have something to say on behalf of the prospects of Glendennon, Inspiration, and Quadrant. Subjoined is the programme:—

Brush Hurdle Handicap, about 2 miles.—Brooklyn, 11st 11lb; Whitefoot, 11st 5lb; Nell Cook, 10st 11lb; Satanella, 10st 7lb; Cape Pigeon, 10st 6lb; Kissing Cup, 10st 6lb; Ulric, 10st 6lb; Horizon, 10st 6lb; The Idler, 10st; The Roe, 9st 8lb; Zoroaster, 9st 3lb; Sertum, 9st 3lb; True Blue, 9st 2lb; Kildare, 9st 2lb; Michael Davitt, 9st 2lb; Ben Lomond, 9st 2lb; Trillo, 9st; Snorter, 9st; Apollo, 9st.

Tramway Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Whakawatea, 9st 5lb; Waltzer, 8st 3lb; Sadur, 8st 3lb; Lieutenant, 8st 3lb; Coosa, 7st 11lb; Lord Marion, 7st 6lb; Bliss, 7st 5lb; Bethel, 7st 2lb; Tarrion, 7st 7lb; Sceria, 6st 7lb.

Welter Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Waltzer, 10st 6lb; Lieutenant, 10st 3lb; Rock Rose, 9st 9lb; Hotspur, 9st 8lb; Glendennon, 9st 8lb; Nell Cook, 9st 5lb; Juvenile, 9st; Sir Oliver, 8st 11lb; Belmont, 8st 8lb; Algiers, 8st 8lb; Escort, 8st 8lb; Mirror, 8st 5lb; Kildare, 8st 5lb; Dunrobin, 8st 5lb; Angelina, 8st 5lb; Auratus, 8st 5lb; Mother-o'-Pearl, 8st; The Sketch, 8st; Amphion, 8st; Dodger, 8st.

Kogarah Stakes, 6 furlongs.—Jack o' Lantern, 8st 5lb; Telegraph, 7st 11lb; Round Dance (imp.), 7st 5lb; Stormy Petrel, 7st 5lb; King's Counsel, 7st 5lb; J. O. (late Gladstone), 7st 5lb; Wild Olive, 7st 1lb; San Marco, 7st 1lb; Excellence, 6st 8lb; Broom, 6st 9lb; Aluminium, 6st 7lb; Gold Prix, 6st 7lb.

Moorefield Handicap, 1½ mile.—Triton, 9st; The Trier, 8st 10lb; Gozoreina, 7st 7lb; Valiant, 7st 7lb; Magnus, 7st 5lb; Lord Marion, 7st 3lb; Blue Peter, 7st 3lb; Horizon, 6st 12lb; Kelso, 6st 9lb; Templestowe, 6st 9lb; Annadoor, 6st 7lb; Barnaby Rudge, 6st 7lb; King's Counsel, 6st 7lb; Myrtle, 6st 7lb.

Stewards' Mile, 1 mile.—Whakawatea, 10st 10lb; Lieutenant, 9st 11lb; Thespian, 9st 6lb; Inspiration, 9st 6lb; Glendennon, 9st 1lb; Bethel, 9st; Templestowe, 8st 10lb; Juvenile, 8st 8lb; Quadrant, 8st 5lb; Ebony, 8st 5lb; Sir Oliver, 8st 5lb; Killarney, 8st 5lb; Mirror, 8st; Mother-o'-Pearl, 7st 7lb; The Sketch, 7st 7lb; Aluminium, 7st 7lb; Faux Pas, 7st 7lb.

LILLIE BRIDGE RACES.

There was a good attendance at Lillie Bridge yesterday afternoon, when a programme of pony racing was run through with the following results:—

Tramway Handicap (13.3 to 14.0½), 4½ furlongs.—First heat: J. Smith's Alicia, 9st 3lb, 1. Six started. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Timonee and Moss Rose, 4 to 1 bar two. Won by half a length. Second heat: S. J. Thorne's Nea, 7st 8lb, 1. Six started. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Needle, 3 to 1 v. Mona and Antonee, 4 to 1 v. others. Won by a head.

Lillie Handicap (12.3 to 12.3½), 3½ furlongs.—J. Gunn's The Rat, 7st 4lb, 1. Six started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Dorothy and Casey, 4 to 1 v. others. Won by half a length.

Pony Handicap (13.1 to 13.2), 4½ furlongs.—J. Sandeman's Reckless, 9st 7lb, 1. Four started. Betting: 2 to 1 on Reckless, 4 to 1 v. others. Won by a length.

Galloway Handicap (14.0 to 15.0), 5½ furlongs.—W. Brown's Harmony, 7st 8lb, 1. Four started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Miss Eastley, 2 to 1 v. Claudius and Harmony, 4 to 1 v. others. Won by a neck.

SYDNEY HUNT CLUB.

At a general meeting of the members of the Sydney Hunt Club, held on Thursday evening, arrangements were made for the point-to-point steeplechase, to be run on next Saturday, 26th instant. It was decided to limit the entries for that event to horses that have hunted regularly with the Sydney Hunt Club during the current season, and to horses that have not been placed in an advertised race, and are, in the opinion of the committee, bona fide hunters. The run selected for the point-to-point steeplechase is from Blacktown to Prospect, about four miles, over average hunting country, and the contest can be seen all the way from the road. Drags will run from Parramatta railway station to Prospect on the day of the race, and the prizes will be presented immediately after the contest. An opportunity will be afforded of inspecting the course this afternoon on the arrival of the 1.30 p.m. train from Sydney. Entries for the steeplechase close next Tuesday evening.

CRICKET.

The premiership matches will be resumed this afternoon. South Sydney, with five wickets down for 352 runs, will continue their first innings against East Sydney on the Sydney Cricket Ground. Gregory, one of the not-out men, has 223 to his credit, and if the remaining batsmen are able to stay with him, he should make a record score. Waverley, who have lost six wickets for 196 runs against Burwood, will resume their innings at Waverley Oval. University have 233 runs to their credit for the loss of seven wickets, on their own ground, against Paddington; while on Wentworth Park Glebe will open their first innings against Central Cumberland's score of 155. The second-grade matches are:—North Sydney v. South Sydney, at North Sydney; East Sydney v. Paddington, at Paddington; University v. Redfern, at Redfern; Glebe v. Leichhardt, at Leichhardt; Manly v. Burwood, at Manly.

CYCLING.

Mr. W. J. Walford, Zimmerman's agent, is now in Sydney arranging the terms under which Zimmerman will race here at the League of Wheelmen's Carnival on the 16th and 23rd November. He considers that the constitution and management of the league are laid on excellent lines. Mr. Walford is much impressed with the racing capacities of the men whom he saw at Adelaide, and thinks it will not do for Zimmerman to throw away any chances. He will leave again for Adelaide on Monday, as Zimmerman has to race on Saturday. Zimmerman may be expected here about the 30th instant, and, after a few days' stay, he will go on to Brisbane, where he will race on the 9th November, returning to Sydney a couple of days later.

Entries close to-night at the league rooms for their two days' racing on the 16th and 23rd November. The events which will require attention are—the League Cup, ½ mile, 26 sovs.; maiden race, 1 mile, 8 sovs.; first-class handicap, 13 sovs.; second-class handicap, 13 sovs.; three miles handicap, 15 sovs.; championship of Australasia, ½ mile, 60 sovs. and gold medal; championship of New South Wales, 5 miles, 60 sovs. and gold medal; Sydney wheel race, 2 miles, 130 sovs.; Metropolitan Handicap, 1 mile, 130 sovs. The prize money altogether represents £500, the largest amount ever offered in Australia. Handicaps will appear on the 26th October for the first day's racing, and on the 18th November for the second. Acceptances for the Sydney wheel race must be declared by the 6th November.

If sufficient inducement is offered, Mr. Hanslow, treasurer of the League of Wheelmen, will arrange for Zimmerman to appear at sports meetings at Newcastle, Maitland, and Goulburn during the next two or three months.

Entries for the Goulburn meeting to be held on the 9th November will not close until Wednesday. Entries for the Austral Wheel Race in Melbourne on the 30th of November and 6th of December are due to-night.

Mr. Joseph Pearson, of the Sydney Bicycle Club, and Mr. Tom Watson, who are touring in the North, reached Cassilis on Thursday last. They describe the roads into this place as very bad. The road from Newcastle to Muswellbrook was splendid, and from Muswellbrook to Denman the excellent state of the road enabled the riders to cover 15 miles in one hour. They learn that the road from Cassilis to Mudgee, 56 miles, is very good. From Mudgee they proceed to Wellington. The weather has been very hot.

LAWN TENNIS.

The two final matches in connection with the Strathfield tournament will be played off this afternoon, as follows:—Ladies and gentlemen's double handicap, at 1.30—Gaden and Miss Trickett v. Cox and Miss Cox; championship singles, at 3.30—Dewhurst v. Rice. Both matches should provide some good play; in particular, the single championship will doubtless prove a splendid struggle. Dewhurst and Rice are in excellent form, and it would be difficult to predict the result. The grounds of the Union Recreation Club will be open to visitors free of charge.

AQUATICS.

Sydney Amateur Sailing Club.

This club will officially open its season this afternoon. The ceremony will take the form of evolutions by the club fleet, under the direction of the commodore. The fleet will rendezvous in Farm Cove.

Sydney Flying Squadron.

This club announces another general handicap to take place this afternoon, instead of the 18ft. to 24ft. handicap, as was originally intended. Clark Island will again be chosen to watch the sport, and steamers are advertised to take passengers there as usual.

New Sailing Craft.

W. Golding, of Balmain, has just completed his new 18-footer Yvonne. She is a different style of boat from his last attempt, the Nereid, and is 8ft. beam and 2½in. deep, cedar planking and deck, hickory timbers. In a few days she will, no doubt, be found amongst the racers of her class. C. Messenger has also finished a very pretty little canoe, which will come under the class. A register of the Sydney Canoe Club. Mr. G. Cannis has christened his ¾-rater, which was launched last week, Sita. The following are the dimensions of the ¾-rater designed and built by Mr. A. S. Huntley:—Length l.w.l., 15ft., with crew and gear aboard; length overall, 24ft; beam moulded, 4ft. 6in.; draught, 4ft. She has 3cwt. lead fixed on keel. Her sails are a balance lug and jib, the nominal sail area being 200 square feet. She is built of diagonal plank inside, longitudinal outside, with bulkheads fore and aft, giving her one ton of floating power.

The Sculling Championship.

No further word has been received by Stanbury as to Harding's intentions with regard to the challenge for the sculling championship mentioned in last week's cable news. It was expected that a letter would have been received during the week from the English champion detailing in full his intentions, but the expectation has not been realised. According to late English sporting papers, Harding claims to be champion of the world, because Jake Gaudaur, the American, failed to row him when challenged, and no mention at all is made of Stanbury. Apparently, however, the Englishman has awakened to the fact that it would be just as well if he made his claim indisputable, hence the challenge to the Australian. Stanbury will require a sum of £1000 to take him to Great Britain to enable him to cover the stake of £500 and have a little left for wagering. An endeavour is being made to obtain this amount, and it is anticipated that there will be no difficulty in this direction. At any rate, matters will not need to be hurried, as the champion will not leave for England before the end of February.

Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron.

The season of 1895 and '96 will be opened to-day by the yachts of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron. The yachts will assemble off Farm Cove at 2.30 p.m., and afterwards various evolutions will be carried out. The commodore (the Hon. R. H. D. White) will direct the movements of the fleet, on board his yacht the White Star. It is expected that about 20 of the squadron's vessels will take part, and should the day prove fine the sight should be a very pretty one.

Prince Alfred Yacht Club.

A committee meeting of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club was held at the clubrooms, Hotel Australia, last evening, at which the vice-commodore, Mr. J. Cox, presided. The programme of events was finally settled. Valuable trophies, in addition to the club prizes, were also promised by the commodore (Mr. S. Hordern), the vice-commodore (Mr. J. Cox), the rear-commodore (Mr. W. H. Murrell), and also by Mr. J. J. Rouse. The yacht Archina, it is expected, will ere this be under way for Victoria. It is the intention of her owner, Mr. Dalley, who is accompanied by Mrs. Dalley, to make the voyage to the sister colony to take part in the welcome to Lord Brassey. Captain Dudley and a crew of three will navigate the Archina to the Southern colony. Mr. J. Cox's new five-rater is well in hand, and should be planked up during next week.

Mr. F. F. Howard, well known to sailing men, was on Wednesday last the recipient of a handsome marble clock, as a wedding present from his brother officers in the Bridges branch of the Public Works Department.

AMUSEMENTS.

LYCEUM THEATRE.

"The Mikado" will be revived at the Lyceum Theatre to-night, with Miss Juliet Wray as Yum-Yum, Mr. Tapley as Nanki-Poo, Mr. Brownlow as the Mikado, and Mr. Howard Vernon as Ko-Ko. This favourite opera will be performed for the last time on Monday, whilst on Tuesday "Ma Mie Rosette" will be staged, on Wednesday "H.M.S. Pinafore" will be repeated, and on Thursday the Royal Comic Opera Company will close their season with the first act of "The Mikado" and selections from "Paul Jones," "The Gondoliers," "Pinafore," and "Ma Mie Rosette."

"IN OLD KENTUCKY."

After a long period of musical entertainment, a season of drama will be opened at the Lyceum next Saturday with the production of "In Old Kentucky." Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove have been fortunate in securing artists for this play thoroughly conversant with American life. In the first place Mr. George Darrell has been specially retained to direct the production, that actor having seen the play last Christmas year at the Academy of Music, New York, where it had a great run. Mr. Darrell then studied every detail thoroughly, and acting on his representations the Australian firm secured the rights for this part of the world. It was during his stay in New York that Mr. Darrell saw Miss Helen Dauvray, who was appearing as Dorcas in "A Life of Pleasure," and this artiste, who is staying at the Australia, was during this week engaged for the principal part at a salary stated to be highest ever paid by the firm. Miss Dauvray's character as Madge Brierley will give scope both for pathos and comedy. The cast will also include Mr. Wm. Elton, who has had a long experience at Wallack's Theatre, New York, Mr. King Hedley, an American actor, engaged by Mr. Williamson for the new piece prior to his appearance at Her Majesty's, Mr. Granville Blake, another new actor with long experience of the American stage, and Mr. D'Orsay Ogden, who will repeat an old-time American impersonation as an aged negro. Miss Harrie Ireland, Miss Nellie Mortyne and Mr. Scott Inglis will also appear. "In Old Kentucky" is a drama of Southern plantation life in the "Blue Grass" country, written by Messrs. C. F. Dazey and Arthur Shirley. The characteristic scenery will be by Mr. Phil. Goatcher from the original sketches sent out to Sydney. The sensational scenes which close each act will be a dynamite explosion, the rescue of a racehorse from a burning stable, and a Southern State race meeting shown in a novel way, with well-known prize-winners at Randwick placed on the stage in racing condition, fresh from the hands of their trainer, Mr. Kelso.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

At Her Majesty's Theatre Messrs. Marshall and Alfred Woods' spectacular production of "The Prairie King" continues to draw great audiences. The sensational scene in which the horseman, galloping over the bridge at the back of the stage, falls through into the river far below is certainly one of the most novel effects seen here; and the adventures of the Scout (Mr. King Hedley) in his encounters with the Indians, and the rescue of the heroine (Miss Ireland) from her captivity amongst the Redskins, are episodes in the drama which never fail to excite enthusiasm.

MR. W. J. WILSON'S BENEFIT.

Mr. W. J. Wilson will take his benefit at Her Majesty's Theatre on Tuesday afternoon, under the patronage of a strong committee, when the artists of all the theatres and many leading members of the musical profession will appear in honour of a theatrical manager and scenic artist whose Australian career extends over a period of 35 years. Mr. George Leitch's company will open the programme with a scene from "The Land of the Moa," and Misses Young and Pollard, Messrs. Tapley and Brownlow, will perform the sparkling operetta "An Arcadian Eve." Mr. George Lauri and Miss Marietta Nash will join in the duo and dance "F'r Instance" from "Ma Mie Rosette," and the first act of "Mixed" will introduce Mr. W. J. Wilson, Mr. Frank Hawthorn, Mr. Carden Wilson, and a strong company. The miscellaneous items will be contributed by Messrs. Napoléon-Boffard, Arthur Garner, F. Adams, Wm. Gourlay, Ralph Roberts, Miss Edith Housley, Miss Heloise Austa, Miss Amy Gourlay, Miss Coutts Duvalli, Mrs. J. A. Dobbie, and leading artists from the Tivoli and Empire theatres. The entertainment, which will be at popular prices, will close with the great diving act from "The Prairie King," by Messrs. Woods and Marshall's Company. The plan is at Nicholson's.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Mr. George Leitch will open his dramatic season at the Theatre Royal to-night with the production of his own spectacular drama, "The Land of the Moa." The new play deals with a story of Maori life set in the midst of a great series of beautiful tableaux painted by Mr. Alfred Clint. Lake Rotorua, Wellington city, Auckland Harbour, the Pink Terraces, the Devil's Blowhole, the Lake of Rotomahana, and the eruption of Tarawera, with its rain of fire and ashes, are the scenes which have proved attractive during the tour of the piece in New Zealand; and here they will have the added charm of novelty. The cast of characters will include Miss Amy Roselle as Kura, the daughter of the chief Rewi (Mr. James Cathcart), Mr. Arthur Dacre as Capias Marks, the Black Angel, Mr. Cyril Keightley as Rota, Miss Polly Emery as Wangarita, the author as Samson Noblem, Mr. Harold Carr as Jack Featherstone, and Mr. Frank Hawthorne as Harold Walkdon, &c., &c. Sophia Taiawhio, the original guide over the famous terraces, has been specially engaged.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

Messrs. Speed and Delohery announce a change of programme this afternoon and evening at the Empire, where, in the first part, the Gray Sisters will sing "Four o'clock in the Morning," and the May-field sisters will contribute their castagnette song and dance. Mr. Tom. Delohery will sing "Massa's Wedding Night" and "Hand Down My Robe," another jubilee number will introduce Mr. W. H. Speed. Messrs. Steve Adson, Speed and C. R. Jones, Franks, and Williams, the Trevoe Brothers, and Miss Lyola Thompson will join in the entertainment, which will close with the farcical sketch (by Delohery, Craydon, and Holland) entitled "Casey v. Levey."

TIVOLI THEATRE.

Mr. John Coleman, a well-known English character-comedian and dancer, engaged by Mr. Harry Rickards whilst passing through America, will make his Australian debut this afternoon and evening at the Tivoli Theatre. The last week of the Banvard Family is announced. Mr. J. W. Winton will bring "M'Ginty" still further up to date, and Miss Daisy Chard will sing "It's Not the Hen that Cackles Most." Miss Ada Colley will sing "Lo, Here the Gentle Lark" and "Whisper and I Shall Hear," and Messrs. Pope and Sayles, M'Kisson and Kearns, the Leslie Brothers, Fred. Garnet, Mr. Fanning, and Miss Devoe, Miss Priscilla Verne ("Waiting to Hear the Verdict"), and other favourites will duly appear.

Miss Alice Leamar's engagement will begin on or about the 23rd November. Following her début, a month later, will be that of the Sisters Crossley, duettists and dancers, known at London music halls as "The Society Girls." Mr. H. Skinner received a cablegram from Mr. Rickards yesterday informing him that these artists would sail from England next month by the Parramatta.

BIJOU THEATRE.

The Gaiety Theatre will be reopened under the title of the Bijou Theatre, by R. Power-Lepoer to-night, when the initial production will be "Is He Guilty?" The drama will deal with the case of a man imprisoned on a charge of poisoning his wife, and the cast will include Miss Carew and Madame Londra in the characters of Rose and Maggie Wright.

THE NEW LONDON COMPANY.

The collection of stars gathered together by Messrs. Fitzgerald Brothers will begin a season at the Exhibition Building this evening. The company consists of performers who have never been before Australian audiences prior to their engagement in the New London Company, and whose reputations are great in their respective acts. In Adelaide, Melbourne, and Bendigo the combination has attracted overflowing houses, which is not surprising seeing the ultra-sensational character of the programme. The main attraction of the show is undoubtedly Madame Adelina Antonio, a young Roumanian lady gymnast, who performs some startling evolutions on the trapeze, after which she ascends to the roof of the building and casts herself backwards, turning two complete somersaults in mid-air before falling into a net near the floor. The fall is quite 100ft. A swirl dance on a running globe, by La Belle Rose, is a beautiful and picturesque feature; and Ted Leonard, an English clown, introduces some exceedingly novel business, and exhibits his educated fowls, donkeys, elephants, &c., &c. Then there will be the thrilling dive of Professor Peart, champion high diver of the world, who leaps headforemost from the roof of the building into a tank containing only 6ft. of water, a feat so incredible that when it was first done in London many refused to believe that the tank was only 6ft. deep. The Altons, élite acrobats, are also novelties in their lines. The wonderful talking horse, Mahomet, will also be on view, and his trainer, Probasco, will put him through his act. This equine marvel tells the time by any watch, adds, subtracts, multiplies, divides, replies to questions, and knows the difference between a pretty girl and one less favoured.

THE CYCLORAMA.

The change of scene at the Cyclorama from Gettysburg to Jerusalem has been attended by a largely increased interest on the part of the public. During the week just closing there have been daily crowds. Special attractions are held out to visitors in the shape of periodical lectures, and there is no lack of musical accompaniment.

KRUSE ORCHESTRAL CONCERT.

Professor Johann Kruse will reappear in Sydney at a concert in the Town Hall on November 2, when he will play the Mendelssohn Violin Concerto in association with the Amateur Orchestral Society, conducted by Signor Hazon. Mr. Fred Kellermann notifies elsewhere that the plan will open at Paling's this day.

THE HAMBOURG RECITALS.

Herr Mark Hambourg, whose genius as a pianist has been descanted on at so much length in these columns, will make his last appearance at the Town Hall this evening. Lady Darley and suite will again attend, and the programme will include Chopin's "E Minor Concerto" and Liszt's "Hungarian Fantaisie," in both of which Mr. Sydney Moss will play the orchestral part on a second piano. Miss Nellie Young will sing Mascheroni's "For All Eternity" and Abt's "I See Thee, Love, in Every Flower," and a song by Max Stange.

Last night's concert at the York-street Centenary Hall drew a crowded house, and enthusiasm was at fever heat. Herr Hambourg played Beethoven's "A flat Sonata," and later the same composer's "E flat Sonata" (op. 31, No. 3). His fine renderings of the classic works were fully appreciated. After a splendid interpretation of Grieg's "Ballade" the Russian pianist added as encore a taking "Valse Caprice" of his own; and at the close of a series of four pieces ending with Chopin's "A Minor Etude," he added as encore one of Schubert's "Moments Musicales." Miss Blanche Thomas was encored for a pleasant rendering of Gounod's "The King of Love my Shepherd is," when she responded to the applause with a somewhat tame interpretation of "The Gift" (Behrend). Mr. H. Weir won acceptance in Schubert's "Serenade." Herr Gerard Vollmar accompanied the singers.

THE MAN IN A TRANCE.

The man in a trance completed his fourth day of unconsciousness at the School of Arts last evening, and appears to be passing through the ordeal without signs of physical discomfort. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Henry Bracy and Dr. Philip were numbered amongst those who examined the patient, and Mr. Charles Moore (director of the Botanical Gardens) also took a special interest in Morgan's condition. Mr. Moore stated that he was one of the first in Australia to submit himself to a practitioner in what was then known as "electro-biology." This was in 1852, when a Mr. Daly was making a sensation as an exponent of the mysterious power, but although many were influenced by his arts, Mr. Moore himself was wholly unaffected by them. Whilst Mr. Moore made these communications to Professor Kennedy, the latter administered beef-tea to the hypnotised man. Upon two cups of Liebig daily, with an occasional sip of whisky, much diluted, Morgan is apparently retaining good health. Dr. MacCarthy's entry in the visiting book at lunch time read as follows:—"Pulse 88; temperature normal; respiration tranquil; eye reflex state absent; hypnotic trance still profound; no apparent systemic injury has resulted so far."

THE ART EXHIBITIONS.

During the week there has been a good attendance at the Art Society's Exhibition at Union-chambers, where next Tuesday afternoon a concert will be given by well-known amateurs. Now that the drawing of the tombola, an event fixed for Saturday next, is almost at hand, the sale of tickets has increased, and it is thought that the usual average total will be reached. Although to-night's smoke concert by the Society of Artists virtually forms the closing function of their exhibition at the Crystal Palace Rink, yet it has been decided to give the masses a special opportunity of seeing the pictures. With this object, the exhibition will be thrown open to the public free of charge to-morrow.

MOCK TRIAL AT FIVE DOCK.

An entertainment was submitted to the Five Dock residents on Wednesday night in the shape of a concert and mock trial. The mock trial consisted of a breach of promise case, entitled "Golightly v. Smuggles," specially written for the occasion. Mr. Alderman Rodd occupied the position of judge, Mr. Aubrey Halloran, LL.B., and Mr. C. H. Eddie, two solicitors of Sydney, acting as counsel for the plaintiff and defendant respectively. Messrs. Lewis Scott, Brent Rodd, Barton, Macdonald, and Renwick and Miss Kemp took the witnesses' parts. Mr. Gordon acted as lady plaintiff and Mr. Richards as defendant. Master R. Elkin also caused much amusement in his capacity of policeman. Everyone present enjoyed the evening, and at the close congratulations were showered on the hon. secretary, Mr. Relph, and the representatives of the legal profession for the successful way in which the whole performance had been rendered.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

Last night a benefit concert was given in the Gaiety Theatre in aid of Mr. Edward Mullan. Mr. T. M. Davis, M.L.A., occupied the chair, and there was a large attendance. The concert was opened with a fantasia, "The Jolly Band," by the Hibernian Band. Mrs. Rowley contributed "Sing, Sweet Bird," in good style; and the following item, "Come into the Garden, Maud," by Mr. J. Collins, was encored. Mr. Dingwall rendered "The Holy City," of which a repetition was demanded. The contributions of Mr. Scarrett were received with favour; and instrumental selections, Irish melodies, met with a hearty recognition. In the second part, the comedietta, "Her New Dressmaker," was given, and then followed further vocal and instrumental selections. Among those who were prominent were Don Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Rowley, Mr. Hellings, Mr. C. Hudson, Mr. F. Dark, and Mr. Davies. The whole concert was well carried out, and reflected great credit on the organisers, Messrs. W. C. Webber, R. J. Crome, and J. Cassidy.

CONCERT AT THE GLEBE.

A concert under the musical direction of Mr. Charles Huenerbein will be held on Monday night at the Glebe Town Hall in aid of the Forest Lodge Harriers. Amongst the performers on the occasion are Mr. Edgar Straus, Mr. Charles Huenerbein, Mr. T. H. Rainford, in addition to several well-known lady singers.

BENEFIT CONCERT AT BALMAIN.

The Balmain Town Hall was well attended on Wednesday evening on the occasion of a benefit concert given to Mr. Thomas Dillon. Mr. D. H. Easton (president of the Balmain Working Men's Institute) occupied the chair. A well-arranged programme met with much applause, encores being frequent.

ST. GEORGE'S HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

ANNUAL ROSE SHOW.

The St. George's Horticultural Society yesterday afternoon opened its annual rose show in the pavilion adjoining the old Scots College at Lady Robinson's Beach, the pavilion being lent to the society by Mr. Thomas Saywell. The official opening took place in the presence of a fair number of visitors. Mrs. S. E. Lees, who performed the opening ceremony, was accompanied by the Hon. S. E. Lees and Miss Lees, and was received by Alderman John Sproule, J.P. (president of the society), and the hon. secretary, Mr. C. H. Halstead, with Messrs Shepherd and Docker, members of the committee. Mr. Sproule then accompanied Mrs. Lees through the show.

Mr. John Sproule, who introduced Mrs. Lees, said that the society had now lived three years, and, notwithstanding the great drawbacks experienced in consequence of the depressed times, they had successfully managed to have a credit balance at their banker's. The district of St. George had accomplished great things under the auspices of its Horticultural Society, and various members had held their own in competition with other societies both in the metropolis and in other suburbs. He was sorry to say the Government had not subsidised the smaller societies, but his opinion was that they should receive aid in place of the larger ones, who should be able to support themselves. The Hon. J. H. Carruthers had, however, not forgotten them, and by his assistance they had had some Government aid.

Mrs. Lees then thanked the society for the honour conferred upon her in being invited to open their beautiful show, which she thought the prettiest she had seen. She had therefore much pleasure in declaring the show open.

The Hon. S. E. Lees, being called upon by the president, said he was much interested when walking around the show to see the evidences of skill, labour, and patience exhibited on the part of those competing. The display of cut flora was without doubt deserving of the very highest mention.

The principal feature of the show being the roses, some very fine specimens were staged, the judges being Messrs. Henderson and Kerslake. Mr. C. H. Halstead staged a fine collection of the more rare varieties of roses, winning the championship in the open class with a bloom "Souvenir d'Elise Varden." Mr. Halstead also won in a class of nine entries a trophy presented by the Mayor of Kogarah, Alderman G. Hunter M'Pherson. The Botanical Gardens are represented by a huge and handsome display of foliage plants. Mr. John Sproule exhibited (not in competition) an attractive display in the shape of a pyramid of roses of numerous varieties. Appended are the awards:—

Pot Plants.—Six miscellaneous plants, distinct varieties: H. Hardge (gardener to F. J. Gibbons, J.P.), 2; no first awarded. Single specimen plant: H. Hardge, 1. Three palms, distinct varieties: H. Hardge, 1.

Cut Flowers.—Miscellaneous cut flowers, of out-door growth, distinct species: H. Hardge, 1. 24 tea roses, distinct varieties: C. H. Halstead, 1; H. Hardge, 2. 18 H. P. roses: H. Hardge, 1. 12 roses (society's rose trophy), this trophy to be won twice before becoming the absolute property of successful exhibitor: C. H. Halstead, 1; H. Hardge, 2. Six roses, distinct varieties: C. H. Halstead, 1; H. Hardge, 2. Six dark roses, not necessarily distinct: H. Hardge, 1. Six light roses: C. H. Halstead, 1; E. H. Shaw, 2. Three light roses, distinct varieties (trophy presented by Mr. Hunter M'Pherson): C. H. Halstead, 1; H. Hardge, 2. One rose, champion (society's certificate): C. H. Halstead, 1. Twelve carnations, distinct varieties: H. Hardge, 1. Six petunias, distinct varieties: H. Hardge, 1. Twelve pansies, distinct varieties: H. Hardge, 1; A. C. Reid, 2. Twelve annuals, distinct varieties: H. Hardge, 1. Twelve poppies, two each of six varieties, set up with grass: H. Hardge, 1.

Collection of vegetables, not less than six varieties: H. Hardge, 1.

Pot Plants.—Six miscellaneous plants, distinct varieties: Mr. J. Reid, 1. Three ferns, distinct varieties: Mr. James Reid, 1. Three foliage begonias, distinct varieties: James Reid, 1. Single specimen plant: James Reid, 1. One hanging basket: James Reid, 1.

Cut Flowers.—Twelve miscellaneous cut flowers, of out-door growth, distinct varieties: J. Larbalestier, 1. Twelve roses, distinct varieties: G. Winkworth, 1; W. Boyce Allen, 2. Six roses, this trophy to be won twice before becoming the absolute property of successful exhibitor: G. Winkworth, 1; James Reid, 2. Three dark roses, not necessarily distinct: A. C. Reid, 1; E. R. Shaw, 2. Three light roses, not necessarily distinct: A. C. Reid, 1; James Reid, 2. One rose, champion, society's certificate: G. Winckworth, 1. Six carnations, distinct varieties: G. Winkworth, 1. Six Phlox Drummondi, distinct varieties: Mrs. W. Boyce Allen, 1; James Reid, 2. Six pelargoniums, distinct varieties: Mrs. W. Boyce Allen, 1. Six pansies, distinct varieties: Mrs. W. Boyce Allen, 1; J. Larbalestier, 2. Three fuchsias, not more than 6in. above tray: J. Larbalestier.

Vegetables.—One lettuce: C. Andrews, 1.

Ladies' Class.—Basket of flowers: Mrs. W. Boyce Allen, 1. Four button-hole bouquets: Miss Hamburger, 1; Miss M. Walker, 2. Three breast sprays: Miss Hamburger, 1; Miss M. Walker, 2. Straw hat decorated with natural flowers: Miss Hamburger, 2.

Non-competitive Exhibits.—Miss Maud Vincent. Collection of carnations: G. Winkworth. 36 blooms of Francisca Kruger: C. H. Halstead, h.c. 30 roses: T. M. Bailey, h.c. Collection of plants: Botanic Gardens, h.c. Collection of roses: J. Sproule, h.c. Hanging basket: J. Sproule, h.c.

In the evening there was an excellent attendance, and an interesting musical programme was supplied.

CHURCH NEWS.

ANGLICAN.

The Primate administered the rite of confirmation at Cabramatta on Sunday morning, preached at St. Mary's, Denham-court, in the afternoon, and at St. Peter's, Campbelltown, in the evening. On Monday he visited Appin and Nepean Towers, on Tuesday morning administered the rite of confirmation at St. Peter's, Campbelltown, met the clergy of the rural deanery and churchwardens of St. Peter's in the afternoon, and the parishioners at an outdoor tea provided in the parsonage grounds; on Wednesday afternoon presided at a meeting of the council of Bethany, and in the evening administered the rite of confirmation at St. John's, Darlinghurst; on Thursday afternoon presided at a meeting of the committee of the Church Missionary Association, and in the evening attended the festival service in the cathedral of the Choir Association.

The Bishop of Bathurst preached at St. Barnabas', Coonamble, on Sunday morning and evening, and also administered the rite of confirmation. On Monday afternoon he consecrated the church portion of the new cemetery, and was given a public welcome in the church hall in the evening.

The Bishop of Goulburn on Sunday evening, in St. Saviour's Cathedral, replied to the criticisms of Cardinal Moran in his recent utterances. The Bishop is now engaged in a visitation of the parish and district of Yass.

The Archdeacon of Melbourne preached on Sunday morning at St. Peter's, Woolloomooloo, and in the evening at St. Matthias', Paddington, and has given daily Bible readings at the convention held from Tuesday to Thursday inclusive in St. Matthias' Hall.

The Rev. T. K. Abbott, at present in temporary charge of St. James', Sydney, has been appointed incumbent of St. Luke's, Scone, in succession to the Rev. A. C. Thomas, transferred to St. James's, Morpeth.

Archdeacon and Mrs. Farr, of Adelaide, were passengers from Norfolk Island by the steamer Victoria, and have been staying during the week at the Warden's Lodge, St. Paul's College.

The Society for the Promotion of Christian Knowledge has voted £1000 towards a fund for the endowment of a bishopric for the Northern Territory and New Guinea.

Mr. Arthur Broughton Trees, son of the Rev. T. B. Trees, late of St. Peter's, Woolloomooloo, has been appointed stipendiary reader for the district of Wallan and Wandong, in the diocese of Melbourne.

The Rev. Lyttleton Fitzgerald, of St. Matthew's, Auckland (N.Z.), has taken charge of St. Paul's, Burwood, for three months. The Rev. W. Curzon Siggers, of St. Stephen's, Ballarat, is leaving that diocese for Auckland, and will take charge of St. Matthew's during Mr. Fitzgerald's absence.

Canon Kemmis, who has been seriously ill during the week, although not out of danger, is slightly better.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

To-day Cardinal Moran will administer the sacrament of confirmation at the Mount Carmel Church. To-morrow the Cardinal will lay the foundation-stone of a new church at Bondi. The ceremony, for which elaborate preparations have been made, is to take place at 4 o'clock.

On the 27th instant there will be a demonstration of the Children's League of the Cross at St. Mary's Cathedral.

The Redemptorist Fathers on Sunday last concluded a very successful mission at Our Church of the Sacred Heart, Randwick.

A mission that has been held during the past few weeks by the Passionist Fathers at the Mount Carmel Church was brought to a close on Sunday last. The missioners are much gratified with the results.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Moderation in a call was held in the Richmond Church on Wednesday night. The Rev. J. J. F. L. Fergusson, M.A., was unanimously elected minister.

The Rev. G. S. Morehead preached his farewell sermon at Alexandria on Sunday last, and on Tuesday he left by steamer for his new charge at Launceston, Tasmania. The Rev. James Milne, of Chalmers Church, has been appointed interim moderator of the Alexandria session.

The council of St. Andrew's College met in the church offices on Wednesday last. Applications were received from two intending students for scholarships, and the applications were referred to the scholarship committee. The council resolved to hold the annual celebration on St. Andrew's Day, 30th November. The arrangements were left in the hands of the Principal (the Rev. Dr. Kinross) and the treasurer (Mr. J. G. Walker).

The 31st anniversary of the settlement of the Rev. R. S. Paterson as minister of the Presbyterian Church, Pyrmont, was celebrated by a tea meeting and concert, which was held in the church on Tuesday evening. After tea the chair was occupied by the pastor, the Rev. R. S. Paterson. The church was beautifully decorated, and was well filled. A lengthy programme of music and recitations was contributed to by Miss M. Henry, Miss Buckle, Miss Campbell, Miss Chaucer, Miss A. Thompson, Miss B. Campbell, and Messrs. Alex. Edwards, J. Glover, J. Porteous, and G. Giles. Many of the items were encored. During the evening addresses congratulating pastor and congregation upon their long connection, and of the many evidences of the success of their labours, were delivered by the Revs. T. W. Dunn, George Grimm, M.A., J. Paton, W. M. Dill Macky, and Richard Dill Macky. Mr. Paterson suitably responded.

The congregation of the Manly Church held a meeting on Wednesday evening, the session moderator (Rev. J. A. Ferguson) presiding. Alderman Fletcher moved, and Mr. H. E. Stevenson seconded, that it was advisable in the interests of the Church that steps be taken forthwith to ascertain what degree of unanimity there might be among the congregation in matter of a call to one of the candidates for the pastorate. This was carried unanimously. An amendment was moved by Mr. John Duncan, seconded by Mr. John Woods,—"That the presbytery be approached by commissioners, and requested to moderate in a call to Rev. J. Anderson Gardiner, M.A., of the Bluff, New Zealand." The commissioners appointed were Messrs. T. Littlejohn, James Paterson, and Alex. Dean.

CONGREGATIONAL.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the New South Wales Congregational Sunday-school Union will be held on Thursday next, in Pitt-street Church, at 7.30 p.m. The Rev. W. J. L. Closs, B.A., will preside. Dr. Bevan will deliver an address. The medals, prizes, and certificates gained at the scholars' half-yearly examination will be distributed. The Petersham Sunday-school choir will lead the singing, and special selections will be rendered by that choir, also by the Pitt-street, Bourke-street, Balmain, and Point Piper-road Sunday-school choirs.

The annual meetings of the Congregational Union will be held during next week. A sermon will be preached on Monday evening, and the president's address will be delivered on the following night. A new departure will be made on the Wednesday evening, when a public meeting and conversazione will be held in the I.O.O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-street. The business meetings take place during the morning and afternoon of each day. Dr. Bevan will be present as the delegate from the Victorian Union.

The 29th anniversary of the North Sydney Congregational Church, Milson's Point, and the sixth of the pastorate of the Rev. Joseph Parker, was celebrated on Tuesday night. There was a large number present. Musical selections were first rendered in the church by an orchestra and the choir, under Mr. M'Kee, and solos were sung by Mr. and Mrs. Lane, Mr. Phillips, and Miss Smeal, Mr. T. Knibb being accompanist. Afterwards a social meeting took place in the school hall, where refreshments were served.

The Rev. Isaac Herford, of Bellerive, Tasmania, and who for three years laboured at the Stanmore (N.S.W.) Congregational Church, conducted the service and preached last Sunday at the latter place to his old congregation. Mr. Herford's sermon on "God's Cure for Worrying" was listened to with attention by a crowded congregation, and he received a hearty welcome from a large number of old friends. The rev. gentleman also conducted a communion service, and administered the rite of baptism.

WESLEYAN.

The principal events of the week in connection with Methodism have been the successful missions conducted by Mr. Henry Varley at the Centenary Hall and the Bourke-street Wesleyan Church. Mr. Varley has consented to continue the mid-day meetings at the Centenary Hall for another week.

To-morrow afternoon Mr. Varley will deliver an address to men only in the Centenary Hall on the subject of "The Advantages of Chastity."

The Rev. Rainsford Bavin has accepted an invitation to the Ashfield circuit conditionally upon receiving six months' leave of absence.

The Rev. Dr. Sellors has accepted an invitation to the Glebe circuit, and the Rev. W. W. Rutledge has been invited to Newtown.

The Rev. R. H. Rickard proposes to shortly visit the Manning River district on deputation work in connection with the foreign missions.

The 36th annual report of the Wesleyan Church Sustentation and Extension Society shows that the voluntary income for the year ended 31st March last was £1719 7s 4d, a decrease of £246 2s 11d.

The recent spring fair, held in aid of the Surry Hills circuit fund, has resulted in the sum of £201 being realised.

Arrangements have been made for the holding of a fancy fair in aid of the trust funds of the Stanmore Wesleyan Church.

News has been received in Sydney of the death of Mrs. Brown, wife of the Rev. W. Brown, chairman of the New Britain District, in connection with the Wesleyan Foreign missions.

A tea and public meeting in connection with the anniversary of the Waverley Wesleyan Sunday school took place at the school hall, Bondi junction, on Tuesday evening. Mr. William Rossbach presided. Addresses were given by the Revs. T. B. Holmes, F. Firth, J. Spence, and Alderman T. Jessep. The report of the secretary (Mr. J. Vickery) showed the school to be in a most satisfactory condition. No less than 246 children had been received into the school during the year, a net gain of 124 children. The school now numbered 629 scholars, with 44 officers and teachers.

BAPTIST.

It has been decided that Miss Lynne, Zenana missionary, who has been in the colony for some little time past, shall leave on her return to India on 11th November. She is to be accorded a public farewell in the Bathurst-street Baptist Church on the 8th of the same month.

PRIMITIVE METHODISTS.

The anniversary celebration in connection with the Auburn North Primitive Methodist Church took place in the chapel on the 13th October, the Rev. P. J. Stephen, of Parramatta, occupying the chair in the morning, the Rev. T. Davies, of Sydney, in the afternoon, and the Rev. S. Harrison, of Granville, in the evening. The annual tea meeting was held on Tuesday evening, when there was a large attendance, Mr. Mashman presiding at the public meeting.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

The accounts received at the colony headquarters of the work done by General Booth in New Zealand are of a most encouraging character. The General has been especially delighted with the results of his visit to Christchurch, where the audiences were immense. Yesterday he went south to Dunedin.

Brigadier M'Phee, the Army auditor, is at present in Sydney making his annual inspection of the books of this colony.

Major and Mrs. Veal conducted the anniversary services at Lambton during the week. They were accompanied by Staff-Captain Cutler and a dozen other officers.

Mrs. Estill has concluded her series of meetings for women only at the City Temple and Newtown.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

To-night three past members of the O.B.I.—Messrs. Field, M'Millan, and Ferrier—will address the usual gathering at the rooms.

On Sunday night Miss Vaughan Barber, of the Christian Police Association, London, will speak and sing at the evening service.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The address at the evangelistic meeting on Monday was given by Mrs. Dovey to a large gathering. On Tuesday evening Miss Bayley (general secretary) and Miss Rennie (hon. secretary) attended a meeting at Erskineville, presided over by the Rev. F. M. Dalrymple, for the purpose of explaining Y.W.C.A. methods of work and aims, with the view of forming a branch of the association in that neighbourhood. The attendance was good. Great inconvenience is felt at the institute through the crowding of the waiting and registry rooms. Preparations are being made for the approaching annual festival on on 21st November next. The report of the Bowral Y.W.C.A. Senior and Junior Association and Home of Rest shows active progress.

CHURCH SOCIETY FOR THE DIOCESE OF SYDNEY.

The annual meeting of St. John's Darlinghurst Auxiliary of the Church Society for the diocese of Sydney was held last evening in the schoolroom, Darlinghurst-road, and was presided over by the Primate. With him on the platform were the Dean of Melbourne, Archdeacon Langley, the Revs. A. R. Killworth and E. Lampart, and Mr. W. O. Docker (secretary). The Rev. A. W. Pain, B.A., incumbent of the parish, was absent through illness.

Mr. Docker, as secretary and treasurer, made his annual report, in which he stated that the total amount of subscriptions to the free fund of the church through this auxiliary last year was £188 18s 6d, but the total contributions from the parish, including the offertories in church, amounted to £254 2s 4d.

The Primate then delivered an address. He said he regretted very much the absence of the Rev. A. W. Pain. It was needless for him to tell them what the Church Society was, or what were its objects, or how it carried on its work. It certainly was the most important society in connection with their Church, and he felt that in each parish there ought to be a greater response than there was. There might be a fault in not having enough collectors, but if all the members of their Church responded with greater zeal much more might be done.

The Dean of Melbourne moved,—"That this meeting, recognising the Church Society as a most important agency for sustaining and extending church work in the diocese, and the need of the poorer parishes for help, pledges itself to support its operations." He said after the cordial reception he had received in St. John's parish and the interest he felt in the society, he could not but feel the greatest pleasure in taking part in such a gathering. The speaker then traced the difference between the early life of the Church in this colony, with its parochial gatherings, and the present-day system of diocesan church meetings. Yet however much they may admire the diocesan meetings the parish church meetings were invaluable. He predicted a grand future for the Church of England in this colony. They were looking forward to having some day an Australian Church with Sydney as the chief centre. (Applause.) One great thing needful was unity among themselves. He fervently hoped and sincerely trusted that at no distant date they would have established in their midst an Australian Church which would embrace the whole of the Australian colonies. (Applause.)

The Rev. A. R. Killworth seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Archdeacon Langley then delivered an address upon the work and claims of the society, and concluded by moving the election of officers for the ensuing year of St. John's auxiliary.

This was carried.

MR. VARLEY'S MISSIONS.

Last night's service in connection with the Surry Hills United Mission was very largely attended. Mr. Varley took for his subject "The Precious Blood of Christ," and showed that it was only through the blood of Christ that we obtained atonement, redemption, cleansing, and life.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Varley conducted the midday service at the Centenary Hall, and was assisted in the devotional portion of the proceedings by the Revs. R. Bavin and J. Hill. The preacher's subject was "David's Forgiveness," being an exposition of the 32nd Psalm.

PUBLIC SERVICES FOR TO-MORROW.

(AS ADVERTISED IN THE S. M. HERALD.)

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

St. Andrew's Cathedral.—Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m.; 11, the Bishop of Bathurst; 3.15, the Dean of Melbourne; 7, Rev. R. Noake, B.A.

Christ Church, St. Laurence.—11 and 7 p.m.

St. Michael's, Moore Park.—Rev. J. G. Fenton at 11, Rev. Dr. Manning at 7.

St. Philip's.—Morning, Ven. Archdeacon J. D. Langley; evening, Ven. Archdeacon W. Langley.

St. Andrew's, Summer Hill.—Ven. Archdeacon H. A. Langley, 11; Rev. John Vaughan, 7.

St. Matthias', Paddington.—11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., Rev. J. W. Gillett, B.A.

St. Paul's, Redfern.—11 a.m., Rev. F. B. Boyce; 7 p.m., Rev. E. Lampard, B.A.

St. Thomas', Balmain.—11 a.m., Rev. C. K. Cole; 3 p.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. J. Dixon.

St. Simon and St. Jude's, S. H.—Rev. J. G. Southby.

St. Thomas', North Sydney.—8, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Vicar and Bishop of Bathurst.

St. Barnabas', George-street West.—11 a.m., Rev. W. Martin; 7 p.m., the Primate.

St. James', Croydon.—Rev. A. E. Bellingham, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Mark's, Darling Point.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. Albert Gailey, B.A.; Rev. W. G. Fenton.

St. James', Sydney.—11 a.m., Rev. T. K. Abbott; 7 p.m., Rev. T. K. Abbott.

St. John's, Darlinghurst.—11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., Rev. A. Killworth, B.A., LL.B.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Cardinal Moran, St. Anthony's School Church, Bondi, at 3.45.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Annandale.—11, Rev. P. F. Mackenzie; 3, Children's Service; 7, Rev. George Paul.

Ashfield.—11 and 7 p.m., Rev. John Auld, M.A.

Burwood.—Rev. J. Steen, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Mr. D. Walker, at 3 p.m.

Chalmers Church.—Rev. J. Milne, M.A., 11 and 7.

Glebe.—Rev. T. E. Clouston, B.A., morning and evening.

Newtown.—11, Rev. T. W. Dunn; 3 and 7, Rev. Dr. Frackelton.

Pitt and Hay Streets.—Rev. R. Dill Macky, 11 and 7; Rev. Mr. Macaulay, 3 o'clock.

Randwick.—Rev. Dr. Frackelton, 11; Rev. T. W. Dunn, 3 and 7.15.

Scots Church.—Rev. W. M. Dill Macky, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. George's Free Church, Castlereagh-street.—Rev. T. S. Forsaith, morning and evening.

St. Luke's, Redfern.—Rev. T. J. Curtis, 11 and 7.

St. Stephen's, Phillip-street.—Rev. John Ferguson, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. John's, Paddington.—Rev. J. Fulton, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.; Flower Service, 7 p.m.

Waverley, Charing Cross.—11, Rev. J. Macaulay, M.A.; 7.15, Rev. R. Waugh, M.A.

Woolloomooloo.—Rev. Preston, 11; Rev. R. Edgar, 3, 7.15.

Woollahra.—Rev. John Walker, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Bourke-street.—Rev. Jas. Hill, M.A., at 11; Mr. Henry Varley, at 7.

Burwood.—Morning 11, evening 7.15, Rev. George Campbell.

Newtown.—Rev. Warlow Davies, M.A., 11 and 7.15.

Croydon.—Rev. R. F. Becher, B.A., morning.

Devonshire-street.—Rev. R. Edgar at 11 a.m.; A. Foster Watchorn at 3; Rev. S. Savage at 7 p.m.

Glebe.—Rev. E. Adams, 11 and 7.

Homebush.—Rev. Dr. Fraser, 11 a.m.; Rev. R. F. Becher, B.A., 7.15.

Leichhardt.—Morning, Rev. Isaac Herford; afternoon, Mr. W. L. Pattison; evening, Rev. Isaac Herford.

Ocean-street.—Rev. S. Savage, 11 and 7.

Point Piper-road Church.—Rev. J. Fordyce, M.A., 11 and 7.

Pitt-street.—Rev. E. T. Dunstan, 11 and 7.

Redfern.—Rev. F. Binns, morning and evening.

Summer Hill.—Morning and evening, Rev. W. J. L. Closs, B.A.

WESLEYAN.

Burwood.—Rev. J. E. Moulton, at 11 a.m. and at 3 p.m.; Rev. J. Woolnough, at 7 p.m.

Cleveland-street.—11, Rev. G. Lane; 7, Rev. J. S. Austin.

Centenary Hall, York-street.—Rev. George Martin, 11; 7, Rev. Rainsford Bavin; Mr. Henry Varley, at 3, to men only.

Newtown.—Rev. R. Bavin, 11; Rev. J. W. Winspear, 7.

Bourke-street, Surry Hills.—Morning, Rev. J. Austin; evening, Rev. G. Lane.

BAPTIST.

Burton-street Tabernacle.—Mr. Henry Varley, 11; Rev. W. R. Hiddlestone, 7; Domain, 3.

Petersham.—Dr. Thomas Porter, morning and evening.

Ultimo.—Pastor H. Clark, 11 and 7.

Bathurst-street.—Rev. Seth Jones, 11 and 7.

Marrickville.—Rev. F. Hibberd, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Newtown.—Rev. W. Coller, 11 and 7.

Strict Baptist Church, Oddfellows' Temple, Elizabeth-street.—11 and 7, Mr. Fremlin.

OTHER SERVICES.

Unitarian Church, Hyde Park.—Rev. George Walters, 11 and 7.

Alexandria Town Hall.—11, Mr. Livingston; 7, Mr. Wilson. Botany, Mr. T. Chick, 3 and 7 p.m.

Annandale Primitive Methodist Church.—M. Beavley, minister, 11, 7.

Christadelphian Hall, 415 Elizabeth-street, at 7 p.m.

Church of Christ (Freethought Hall), Campbell-street.—Chas. Watt, 7.

Gospel Tent.—Messrs. Robert M'Elheran and John Trimble, Mount-street, North Shore, 3 and 7.

Leichhardt Town Hall.—Rev. A. J. Clarke, 3 and 7 p.m.

Manchester Unity Hall, Castlereagh-street.—Pastor M'Cullagh, 7 p.m.

New Church, Temperance Hall, Dr. Simmons.

Pioneer, No. 36, L.O.L., Wesleyan Church, Oxford-street, Paddington.—Rev. C. W. Graham, 7 p.m.

Spiritualism.—7.30, 43 Oxford-street.

Spiritualistic Association, 301 Pitt-street.—7.30, Mr. Edwards.

St. John's, Ashfield.—Evening, Very Rev. Dean of Melbourne, D.D.

St. Matthias', Paddington.—Morning, Rev. J. W. Gillett, B.A.

Socialist League, Leigh House, 233 Castlereagh-street.—8 o'clock, W. M. Hughes, M.L.A.

Stewards of Truth, Tattersall's Hall.—11 and 7.30.

Sydney Theosophical Society, 42 Margaret-street, [illegible] T. H. Martyn, 7.30.

Theosophy: N.S.W. Centre, 16 Carrington-street, Wynyard-square, 7.30.

Mr. Thomas Walker's Lecture' evening, Royal Standard Theatre.

Young Men's Christian Association: At 3; at 7, Miss Vaughan Barber and Miss Johnson.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

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Custom-house.—Entered outward: October 18, Darmstadt, German mail steamer, 5316 tons, Captain [illegible], for Bremen, via ports; Miowera, Royal mail steamer, [illegible] tons, Captain J. Stott, for Vancouver, via Honolulu and Suva; Cam (s.), 5574 tons, Captain Mathias, for Dunkirk; Margrethe, barque, 1103 tons, Captain C. Wasler, for Liverpool; John Franklin, schooner, 245 tons, Captain F. A. Petersen, for Melbourne; Will Watch, ketch, 79 tons, Captain J. Robinson, for Auckland, via Balli.

Captain J. Clark reports that the steamer Lowan left Townsville at 5 a.m. on the 13th instant, called at Flat Top and Keppel Bay en route, and arrived at Brisbane at [illegible] a.m. on the 16th; left again at 6 p.m. same day, rounded Cape Moreton at 10 p.m., passed South Solitary at 4.15 p.m. on the 17th, Seal Rocks at 4.13 a.m. on the 18th, entered the Heads at 2 p.m., and proceeded to company's wharf.

The Sir John Franklin is reported fixed to load timber at Sydney for Melbourne.

The Yallaroi, ship, London to Sydney, passed Jervis Bay at 5.15 p.m.

The Sherard Osborn, the cable-laying steamer, has arrived at Low Head, Tasmania.

The Mogul steamer Pathan, from Foochow to Sydney, yesterday left Port Darwin for this port.

Captain Nelson reports that the Coraki crossed the Richmond bar at 7 a.m. on the 16th, and arrived in Sydney at [illegible] a.m. on the 18th. Variable winds with fine weather was experienced.

The Tuncki crossed the Richmond bar at [illegible] p.m. on October 16, and arrived in Sydney at 4.30 a.m. on the 18th. Experienced fresh southerly and easterly winds, with fine weather.

Captain Taplin reports that the Burrawong crossed the Macleay bar at 7.45 a.m. on the 17th, and arrived Sydney at 8.45 a.m. on the 18th. Experienced light N.E. winds and fine weather throughout.

Captain J. D. Joy reports that the Tyrian left Melbourne at 3.30 p.m. on the 16th instant, passed Wilson's Promontory at 2.45 a.m. on the 17th instant, Gabo Island at [illegible] p.m. same day, Cape St. George at 8.40 a.m. on the 18th instant, entered the Heads at 3.5, and proceeded to the company's wharf. Experienced light winds and fine weather to arrival.

The ship Illawarra was yesterday towed to Mort's Dock, and the Mount Stewart to the Grafton Wharf.

The ship Empire will be towed to the Baltic Wharf this morning.

The Warrimoo was yesterday towed from Mort's Dock to the Quay, where she immediately commenced loading for Vancouver.

The schooner Garfield yesterday put into Barrenjoey with her jibboom carried away. She anchored at 1.40 p.m.

The Fiado arrived at Noumea on the 13th October from Newcastle, and the Mount Kembla on the 10th, and left on the 11th with 70 tons nickel and 130 tons copra.

THE A.U.S.N. COMPANY'S LINE.

The Rockton sails hence this day for Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Fremantle, and Geraldton. The Armsbee will sail Tuesday next at 3 p.m. for Melbourne. The Wodonga leaves Melbourne to-day for Sydney, and sails hence Tuesday, the 22nd instant, for Brisbane and Queensland ports to Cooktown. The Warrego is due from the Gulf ports on Thursday, and sails hence Friday next for Brisbane, Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, Normanton, and Burketown. The Fitzroy sails hence Saturday next for Brisbane and ports to Rockhampton. The Katoomba, for the New Hebrides, will sail from Sydney, Tuesday, the [illegible] November.

THE POLYNESIEN.

The French mail steamer Polynesien, Captain A. Guitlier, yesterday arrived from Noumea. She left there on the 15th of October at noon. Fine weather was met with all the way, foggy approaching the Australian coast. The French man-of-war Le Scorff arrived at Noumea on the 15th October at 11 a.m.

THE DARMSTADT, FROM BREMEN.

The German mail steamer Darmstadt yesterday arrived from Bremen, and berthed at the Norddeutscher-Lloyd wharf, Circular Quay. The Darmstadt brings a large number of passengers in the various classes, and the trip seems to have been greatly enjoyed by all. Captain [illegible] reports that the vessel left Bremen on the 28th of August, and making the usual calls en route experienced most agreeable weather until after leaving Colombo, between which port and the line a stiffish south-westerly breeze accompanied by squalls prevailed; but with the exception afterwards of a moderate south-easterly monsoon, which was of short duration, the remainder of the voyage to Adelaide was remarkable for favourable conditions. During the run thence to Melbourne, however, the Darmstadt was attended by a heavy westerly gale, with very high seas. She left the South Australian coast at 1.30 a.m. on Sunday, and entered Port Phillip Heads at 3.10 p.m. on Monday, and left again on Wednesday morning, arriving in Sydney early yesterday morning. Captain [illegible] has the following officers with him:—First, Herr [illegible] Wilhelmi; second, Herr H. Vogt; third, Herr C. [illegible]; fourth, Herr J. Wenke. The engine department is under the supervision of Herr S. Schroeder, and the duties of purser are still discharged by Herr G. Stein.

THE NEW STEAMER CAM, FROM JAPAN.

The new steamer Cam, that arrived in port this morning, is the last addition but one to the large fleet of steamers belonging to the Mercantile Steamship Company of London (which comprises a fleet of 15 steamers), and is the first of this well-known company's steamers that has visited Australian waters. She is under the command of Captain John Mathias, who is one of the best-known captains in the Australian trade, this being his 28th voyage to Australia, and who graduated from boy to master in both sail and steam in the well-known old firm of Messrs. Money Wigram and Sons, and when in command of the steamer Durham, and the sailing ship Hampshire, made many visits to this port. When the old firm of Money Wigram and Sons retired from shipping, and all their steamers were sold, Captain Mathias was appointed to their s.s. Foyle, in which steamer he made only a short voyage, and was then appointed to this present new steamer, then building, and which is now on her second voyage, being relieved in the Foyle by Captain W. D. Stanney, late of the s.s. Kent. Shortly after, a new steamer, a sister vessel to the Cam, was added to the fleet—the s.s. Ayr—the command of which was given to Captain F. Johnson, late of the s.s. Suffolk, so that it will be very gratifying to the friends of these three captains of the old firm of Messrs. Money, Wigram, and Sons to know that they are all in such good commands. The Cam has had a most eventful career so far, this being only her second voyage. She was built by Messrs. J. T. Thompson and Sons, of Sunderland, being especially adapted for the Eastern trade, and is a first-class cargo steamer, with all the latest improvements. Although showing signs of a long sea voyage outside, the Cam is in excellent order inside, more especially as regards all her holds, all the bilges being opened up, lime washed, and disinfected, and her iron decks looking like new. Great credit is due to Captain Mathias and his officers for the excellent condition the interior parts of the steamer are in. The Cam is consigned to Messrs M'Arthur, and will load wool.

THE ASWANLY.

Captain Murray, of the Aswanly, reports experiencing a fine weather trip from Japan till making the Australian coast, when he encountered a severe gale, being hove-to for three days. The Aswanly comes to Messrs. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co. to load wool for Dunkirk and London. She will have a quick despatch.

PASSAGES ENGAGED BY THE R.M.S. ORUBA.

The following passages have been engaged by the steamer Oruba, which leaves here in the Orient line on Monday next, at noon, in command of Captain J. Richards, for London, via ports:—For London: Sir Henry Meredyth, Miss Loomes, Mr. and Mrs. St. Quintin Hill, Master Thomas Hill, Miss Elizabeth Hill, Miss Marguerite [illegible], Mr. A. D. Morris, Mrs. Watt, Mr. John M. Jones, Mr. Musgrave, Rev. George Walters, Mrs. Farmer, Master Farmer, Miss Grace Warden, Mr. and Mrs. Hibberd and child, Mr. William Thomas Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jones, Mr. F. Hasley, Mr. and Mrs. Upstead, Miss Keenan, Mrs. Deguine and child, Mr. W. L. Gordon, the members of the London Gaiety Girl Company, viz., Mr. J. A. E. Malone, Mr. Charles Ryley, Mr. Fred Kaye, Mr. Arthur Hope, Mr. Cecil Hope, Mr. Bantock, Mr. Leedham Bantock, Mr. Fritz Rimma, Mr. E. G. Woodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Bradfield, Miss Decima Moore and maid-servant, Miss Maude Hobson, Miss Blanche Massey, Miss Grace Palotta, Miss Madge Rossell, Miss Florence Lloyd, Miss Ethel Selwyn, Miss Sophie Elliott, Miss Laura Kearney, Miss Claire Leighton, Mrs. Phelps, Miss May Lucas, Miss Ethel Carlton, Miss Maggie Copeland, Miss Murray, Mr. M. Kattinakis. For Naples: Mrs. Mackworth Praed, Mrs. Lane Cook, Commander Scheder (S.M.S. Bussard). For Bombay: Mr. Koop, Mr. J. H. O'Brien. For Albany: Mrs. Steadie and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dickenson and child, Mr. John Booth, Mr. Percy S. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. John Booth, Mr. A. E. Booth, Miss Booth. For Adelaide: The Right Reverend the Bishop of Bathurst (Dr. Camidge), Mr. J. B. Stack, Miss Barlow, Mrs. and Miss Ethridge. For Melbourne: Miss Bull, Miss Warren, Mrs. Tollemache and child, Miss Marcia L. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kennedy, Mrs. Fawcett child and maid, Misses Barker (2), Mr. J. Mitchell, Master Mitchell.

LECTURES.

FREE MEDICAL LECTURES.

Madam Carlson has been engaged since the 13th August in delivering free lectures in the suburbs of Sydney. She has had crowded houses. The lady, who received her training at the University of Cambridge, Massachusetts, and under Dr. E. B. Foote, believes that remedies for all diseases are to be found in herbs grown by nature for the purpose. The lectures are illustrated by means of specially prepared plates. The next suburb selected by Madam Carlson for her labours is Woollahra.

THE PHILLIP ELECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—No doubt many conclusions will be drawn from the result of this election; but the one which many unprejudiced people will welcome with delight is that the power of self-styled "councils," whether freetrade or otherwise, is on the wane. If this be so, and the test of a candidate's fitness is to be force of character, combined with a certain amount of brain-power, in lieu of extreme pliability and an infinite capacity to follow a party leader blindfold, then the Assembly, as the reflex of the community at large, will certainly regain an amount of [illegible] which it has long been a stranger. Judgment by results as applied to the last two general elections, where the whole force of freetrade councils was employed to the utmost on behalf of their pet candidates, does not afford a matter for congratulation. Out of all the army of the "selected," how many have distinguished themselves as original thinkers in connection with the cause they advocate, or even as decent debaters in the House? And when we come to remember the daily "shriek," by means of which the electors were alternately threatened and cajoled by a certain section of the press into returning these men, we can hardly help reflecting that the fable of the mountain in labour is not without its parallel in the political world. It is all very well to talk of party government, but when Parliament has become so degenerate as to be best defined (in the words of a recent writer) as a "noun of multitude signifying many but not much," we must look to the causes of this, and chief among them will be found the system which forces upon the electors not the independent thinker, but the most pliant tool in the hands of a not always too scrupulous clique. In a representative Assembly we require more than a select coterie of dummies, and, though I and many others of the same political faith regard Mr. Copeland as a rank heretic in matters fiscal, we yet view with satisfaction the return of a gentleman who has opinions and the power to express them.

I am, &c., A. GEOFFREY EAGAR.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market business continues steady. A fair amount of money is available for investment, but those who have it seem generally to think prices of our leading stocks are quite as high as they should be, while on the other hand few shareholders are disposed to make concessions, and thus the volume of business passing is on quite an ordinary scale. It is felt that our stock and share lists are quite inadequate to the absorption of the capital that would be invested were cooperative enterprise on a more extended scale. The events of the past year in connection with some of our companies have not been altogether favourable to the extension of the list, more particularly of companies to carry on industries into which the element of labour largely enters. Banks, insurance, steam, gas, and brewery companies may be said to be well represented. It is to the miscellaneous department we shall have to look for the extension of co-operative enterprise; but until labour and industrial conditions are more settled it is to be feared that there will be very little done. To-day's operations included business in Bank of New South Wales and Commercial Bank of Sydney shares at previous quotations. A higher price was offered for Union Bank. Nothing was done in bank deposits, quotations being as before. In steam Illawarra were quitted at the previous prices; and City Mutual Insurance also were dealt in at the last quotation. There was an inquiry for New Zealand Insurance at 68s. Australian Gaslight advanced 1s 6d, and had buyer at close at the higher price. North Shore Gaslight brought the last quotation. Marshall's Brewery were slightly dearer; and a higher price was offered for Colonial Sugar. Dalgety and Co. rose to par; and Silverton Tramway advanced 1s.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Colonial Sugar debentures, due 1904, 102½; Commercial Bank of Sydney B, equal to A, 18; Bank of New South Wales, 30; Illawarra Steam, [illegible]; Marshall's Brewery, 2s 4d; Colonial Sugar, 23½; Dalgety and Co., 5. At 4 o'clock: Bank of New South Wales, 30s; City Mutual Insurance, 2s 3d; Australian Gas, £14 11s 6d; North Shore Gas, 21s 3d; Tooth's Brewery, 19s. The closing quotations were—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of shares.	Amount paid per share.	Last dividend per annum.	Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.
FUNDED STOCKS.	£	£	£				
N.S.W. Act 1862				4	110½	109	
Ditto Act 1873						109	
Ditto Debenture 1902				5	110	110	
N.Z. Deb., 1914				4	105		
Colonial Sugar Deb. 1900					103½	102	
Due 1896					102		
Due 1897					102		
Due 1901					104½		
Due 1914					102½	104	103
Mort's Dock, due 1896							
BANKS.							
Australian J.S.	1,150,000	10	7½	4	36	30	40
City				6	80	85	85 6
New Zealand							
Com. of Syd., A					18	17½	18½
Ditto, B					15½	15	15½
Natl. of Aust.					12 9		
Do., Preference							
N. S. Wales					29½	29½	30
Ditto, New							
Ditto, Rights					42 6		
Q'land National							
Royal of Q'land							
Union					20½	27½	
Com. of Aust.							
Ditto, Prefer.					50		
DEPOSITS.							
A.J.S. Bank, Negotiable					16 3	16	16 3
Ditto, due 1900					19 6		
Specified							
Com. of Sydney							
Q'land National					15	15	
North Q'land							
E., S., and A.					14 9	14 6	
Ditto, Inscribed					13 9	13 6	13 6
Ditto, Debenture					15 6	15	15 6
Ditto, Term'ble					16 3	16	
Com. of A., 1893					16 9		
Nat. of Aust.					18 5	18	
STEAM.							
Newc. and H.R.					13 3	12 9	13 6
North Coast					13 6		14 9
Illawarra					8s	8s	90
N. S. Ferry					39 6	39 6	
Port Jackson					1 6		1d
INSURANCE.							
A. M. Fire					15	15	16
City M. Fire					2 3	2 2	2 3
Merc. Mutual					6 9	6 6	
N. Zealand						68	
United					72 6	72 6	
Ditto, New					17	16 6	17 6
GAS.							
Australian					14 11	14 11 6	14½
City of Goulburn							36 6
North Shore					21 3	21	21 6
Manly							
Grafton						17	20
Newcastle Gas						75	81
BREWING.							
Australian					12		12 6
Castlemaine and Wood Bros.					18 3	18 3	18 6
Marshall's					2 4	2 4	2 6
Perkins's					15	15	
Tooth's					18 9	18 9	19
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Assets					4 5		
Colonial Sugar					23½	23½	24
Ditto, £10 paid					18½		
Dalgety and Co.					5	5	
Emu Gravel							1
Eagle Tobacco						3 8	4 6
Hudson Bros.						1	3d
Wesson							
Shale and Oil						3 6	4
Syd. Exchange					15		
Syd. Hydraulic					16	15 6	16 3
Melbourne Tr.					13 3		
Syd. Tram.							7 6
Silv. Tramway					9 9	10	
B. H. W. S'y						9 3	10
INVESTMENT FINANCE.							
Mont de Piété					27 9	27 6	28
Perm. Trustee					2	2	2 1
Perpet. Trustee					8		8
Land & Hydro							
Industrial Prov.					14½	14	14½
Syd. & Sub. Dep.					12	10 d	12 6
Syd. Freehold					11		9 6

* Due 1st November, 1895. † And interest.

Business continues to be disturbed by the uncertain political situation. Bankers hold to the exchange rates current for some time past. With the banks gradually easing their rates in different ways, money tends to increase more rapidly than the sources of investment. Government debentures and stock are in consequence more freely sought after.

In the Equity Court to-day Mr. Justice Manning directed the holding of meetings of depositors in the Town and Country Land, Building and Investment Company, Limited, to consider a scheme of rearrangement, of which the principal feature was a reduction in the rate of interest paid on deposits.

The municipal district of Canterbury is inviting tenders for a loan of £9000.

The fall in the price of the new 3 per cent. stock noticed yesterday has, it seems, been concurrent with a general decline in the prices of colonial securities ranging from ¼ to 1. Western Australian stock is an exception. This downward movement is probably due to the somewhat disturbed political outlook in the East. The Bank return for the week or the state of the money market certainly do not account for any such change as has occurred. The Bank reserve is certainly rather less than it was last week, but the proportion to the large amount of liabilities at 56·92 is still a high one. Private deposits in the Bank continue to increase, the week's total, amounting to £50,406,000, again presenting a record. The Bank's stock of coin amounts to £41,158,000.

Australia continues to contribute largely to the extraordinary stocks of gold now held in England. In August no less than £728,058 was received from this part of the world, as compared with £646,246 and £[illegible] in the corresponding months of 1894 and 1893 respectively. For the first eight months of this year £4,646,232 in gold was received in England from Australasia, against £3,473,328 in the same period in 1894. In the corresponding eight months of 1893 gold to the value of £1,474,[illegible] was received, but £1,777,300 was exported from England to this part of the world.

The chief feature of interest in our English financial files was the opening of the fifth series of sales, the prominent points of which are commented on in our London letter published elsewhere. To the general facts of the increase in trade as disclosed by the Board of Trade returns, published in our cable news some time back, we have already alluded. The details now to hand are generally encouraging. Taking the prices of commodities for each month of the year as indicated by M. Sauerbeck's index numbers, we obtain the following:—

Months.	1894.	1895.
January	[illegible]	[illegible]
February	[illegible]	[illegible]
March	[illegible]	[illegible]
April	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	[illegible]	[illegible]
June	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]
August	[illegible]	[illegible]

Only in the months of July and August had prices reached the levels of the corresponding months of 1894. While the general import trade had increased, the export business of these two months was larger by £2,160,950 in July and £2,900,255 in August.

Turning more particularly to the Anglo-Australian trade of August, we find that the month's import into the United Kingdom included larger quantities of wool, hides, leather, tallow, wheat, and wine, though of other leading articles there was a diminished import. The following figures show the quantities and values of leading articles of Australian production imported into Great Britain during the first eight months of 1894 and 1895:—

Article.	Quantities. Eight Months ended August 31. 1894.	1895.	Values. Eight Months ended August 31. 1894.	1895.
Butter, cwt.	203,760	245,940	£990,696	£1,090,498
Cheese, cwt.	80,250	92,100	127,929	218,484
Copper, unwrought and part wrought, tons	8,333	4,363	143,498	181,807
Hides, raw, wet, cwt.	55,056	65,080	77,982	104,073
Lead, pig and sheet, tons	36,776	29,691	334,971	289,906
Leather, lb.	10,648,985	12,204,898	416,723	498,530
Mutton, fresh, cwt.	945,449	1,163,959	1,856,061	2,190,095
Tallow, cwt.	963,845	1,296,976	1,296,524	1,464,878
Tin, cwt.	68,566	53,033	243,913	187,598
Wheat, cwt.	2,501,647	3,045,729	747,528	869,095
Wine, gals.	263,977	390,118	47,197	64,803
Wool, lb.	427,310,785	463,508,683	15,281,398	15,336,068
Total	—	—	21,613,287	22,483,855

These figures show a general increase of £870,568, or over 4 per cent. on the totals for the corresponding period of 1894—an increase which if measured in volume would be proportionately greater than 4 per cent. Wool, tin, and lead are the only articles in the list of which the value had not risen. The actual quantity of wool imported was greater this year than last by 33,000,000lb. weight, but owing to the low prices current in the beginning of the year the return is against Australia. Probably under this head before the end of the year the balance will be restored. Features of the return are the large increases in butter, cheese, mutton, and wine. While wool, for a total of £15,336,068, overshadows all other articles of import from Australia, gold to the value of £4,646,212 is second. Probably silver would be third, but the figures under this head are not given separately in the Board of Trade returns. Mutton makes a good fourth, the value being £2,190,095. Tallow and butter are the next most important items in the list of Australian products imported into the United Kingdom.

Mr. A. J. Balfour having been accused of changing his views on the bimetallic question, owing to the answers he had given relative to a monetary conference, replied by letter in the *Times*. The principal clause of the letter was as follows:—"(1) I am, as I have always been, strongly in favour of international agreement, but (2) I have no right to pledge my colleagues on the subject, nor (3) have I any grounds for thinking that such an agreement would at the present moment be the result of an international conference. (4) A second abortive conference would be a serious misfortune."

The live stock trade of Argentina continues to grow. From 1st January up to 24th July this year 42,296 head of cattle, 744 horses, 1458 mules, 214,477 sheep, and 4166 pigs were shipped from Buenos Ayres. The resources of Argentina are certainly very great. Stretching as it does from the now frozen lands of Terra del Fuego to the borders of Bolivia (says the correspondent of the *Australasian Pastoralists' Review*), in August at one end the Englishman's sheep are scraping up the snow to get their scanty pastures, while at the other end the harvest of sugarcane and coffee is going on. He thus describes one of the stations:—

Esperanza is the name of a sugar plantation belonging to four Englishmen, the brothers Leach. The estate is 25 leagues in extent, which is devoted partly to the cultivation of sugarcane and partly to cattle raising. At several parts of the estate petroleum is found, and the rolling mills are entirely lubricated by the crude oil found close by the factory. In the quinta (orchard) are many squares (a square consists of four and a quarter acres) of oranges, lemons, and bananas. Here, too, may be found a plantation of 50,000 coffee plants, planted in sequestered nooks in the sierras. Here, too, you must pause to admire the mighty magnificence of the mighty cebil and cedar trees, the interlacement of whose foliage throws their trunks into perpetual shade, whilst from their boughs the descending creepers, with their flexible twisted stems, inches in diameter, cut to give pass to the wanderer, afford delight to tribes of monkeys swinging from tree to tree.

IMPORT MARKET.

The week's business has been quiet throughout almost all departments of the Import market. To-day tinplates met with a somewhat animated inquiry, and good sales were effected at irregular rates. The leading lines of hardware also moved off freely, but prices were generally without quotable change. To-day's mail confirms recent cables regarding the firmness in the English metal market. Hoop iron is wired 5s firmer, bar and horseshoe iron also having advanced. In a private letter the position in London is thus commented upon:—"Generally speaking, the position of the metal trade is much more satisfactory. The enormous shipbuilding orders that have been received by the various shipbuilders, and the fact of the Japanese Government talking of spending five millions sterling on new men-of-war on the understanding that the whole of these orders will go to the Clyde builders accounts for the increased demand for steel and other materials. Trade generally is healthier, and we expect a considerable revival, although not anticipating any boom. We think, however, things will steadily improve and hope the colonies will share in it. Tin plates have been firmer, but we do not hear of many orders for the colonies, but we expect that later on your prices must be affected by the advance here." As regards the latter surmise it has been amply realised, only more speedily than the writer probably anticipated. Other advices attribute the hardening of the tin plate market to the fact that after a large number of the smaller works closed down an increased demand from America sprang up, and those works then in full swing were unable to cope with the increased inquiry. Dried fruits continue to move off freely at unchanged rates. Breadstuffs continued quiet; while tea was also stagnant. Sugar met with a steady inquiry at the late range of values. There was a little more doing in groceries, while liquors, especially malt descriptions, moved off exceedingly well. Jute goods moved off slowly without any appreciable change in values. Oil remained unaltered, kerosene being dull of sale. No improvement occurred in chemicals.

Breadstuffs sold slowly at the late range of values. Best roller flour was quoted at £8 5s to £8 10s, and wheat at 3s 7d per bushel. Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., writing from Melbourne on 16th instant, state:—

Wheat.—The tendency of prices since our last report has been in an upward direction, a result due largely to the very limited supplies offering in the metropolis. A fair amount of business has been transacted in the country at values comparatively slightly in excess of those ruling here. The demand for intercolonial purposes continues good, whilst our local millers are buying more readily; and at auction this day 2s 11d was freely paid for fair average samples. The tone of the local market is firm at the following rates, viz.:—Prime milling, 2s 11½d; fair to good ditto, 2s 10d to 2s 11d; off lots up to 2s 9½d.

As has now been the case for the past fortnight or more the tea market is almost closed to private business. Further auctions are advised for next week at the City Mart, when Ceylons and Indians will be submitted. Privately to-day 20 chests of Ceylon pekoe moved off at 8d. Messrs. Davenport and Co. on 20th September thus write from Calcutta:—

The largest weekly sale ever held in Calcutta took place yesterday, when about 31,500 packages were offered, and 30,000 were sold. No sales will be held during the ensuing week on account of the "Poojah" holidays. Demand was good generally, but there was hardly such keen competition for common to medium qualities, and these can be quoted slightly lower; other descriptions again sold irregularly, but the tendency was in favour of buyers. Quality was fair average on the whole. There was less plain tea amongst the offerings, and many Assams showed distinct improvement. Freight to Australian ports, 50s per ton of 50 cubic feet. Quotations for common to medium: Broken orange pekoe and broken pekoe, 8s 3d to 11s; orange pekoe and pekoe, 7s 9d to 9s; pekoe souchong and souchong, 6s 3d to 7s 6d; broken pekoe souchong and leafy broken, 6s 3d to 7s 6d; fannings and pekoe fannings, 6s 3d to 6s 6d; dust and pekoe dust, 4s 9d to 5s 6d.

Nothing new transpired in sugars. Steady sales took place at the late range of values, ranging up to £21 for best white descriptions; others at equivalent rates, according to quality. Bonded stocks of sugar for the week just ended amount to 16,257 tons as against 15,565 tons last week.

A little more business was reported in groceries to-day. Condensed milk continues to meet with a really good inquiry from the country. Sales of 300 boxes of Nestles were noted, also the whole of the Port Melbourne shipment of 500 cases of Gold Medal to arrive. Other sales included 200 cases of quarter sardines to arrive at 2s 9d; 4·0, 2s 10½d; and 25 Trefevenne, 3s 5d. 100 boxes Swinborne's gelatine at agents' prices; 25 cases Hogarth's pickles; 10 boxes American evaporated peaches, 9½d; and 100 boxes of Bee castor and 100 salad at quotations.

Again new dried fruits met with a considerable inquiry. Two lines of 250 boxes of currants, to arrive Echuca, sold at 3½d; 300 elemes, ex Armand Behic, 4½d; and 500 sultanas, 4½d; and 100 boxes of dates changed hands at 2½d. The *Public Ledger* of 7th September thus comments on the London dried fruit market:—

For arrival no sales reported in new crop currants. The first cargo is expected on Monday next. The stock in London at the end of August was 10,030 tons, against 18,146 tons in 1894, and 7780 tons in 1893. The Cortes arrived on the 3rd with 320 tons new Valencia raisins. The quality again proved excellent, but, with a slow demand, only a moderate business has been done, ordinary off-stalk at 22s to 24s, ordinary to fair selected at 25s to 27s, good to fine 28s to 35s, and fine to finest in quarter-cases at 40s to 45s. The Haven arrived on the 3rd with 13000 boxes new sultanas. The quality of the bulk is not attractive, and, old being cheaper, sales have been effected slowly at 21s to 24s. Old sultanas remain flat at the recent reduction, with moderate sales at 18s to 23s. The stocks of raisins in London on 31st August were as follows:—Valencia, 586 tons, against 230 tons in 1894 and 662 tons in 1893; sultanas, 1115 tons, against 1902 tons in 1894 and 1403 tons in 1893; elemes, 113 tons, against 281 tons last year. A small arrival of new Turkey figs took place on the 3rd, and was chiefly sold at 45s to 55s.

An active demand continues to be experienced for liquors of all descriptions, but especially for the lighter kinds suitable for warm weather consumption. M'Ewan's ale, in bulk and case, still moves off well, large sales being reported. Alsopp's and Foster's were also noted, while 100 casks of Jeffrey's, quarts, changed hands at 6s 6d. Stout was a shade less active than ales, although a very fair output of this line was also made. Beaver, Bulldog, and Blood Wolf were mentioned. Hennessey's brandy was unchanged. Bisquit's, in half-flasks and bulk, moved off steadily. Rum ruled a shade easier at 2s 5½d to 2s 6d for Lowndes' on spot, Red Heart also selling freely. Key geneva remained unchanged at 10s 6d. Of whiskies, John Jameson's, Uam Var, Provost, Long John, Robertson's, Sir John Power's, and Walker's were all mentioned in fair trade parcels. 300 cases and 8 quarters of Usher's S.R. and 100 and 10 quarters of O.V.G. were placed. Wines met with a steady demand; medium clarets being asked for. Pommery, Heidsieck, and Louis Roederer champagne sold without change in agents' quotations. 5 cases of Angostura bitters were placed at late rates.

Except the increased demand for tin plates, nothing of note occurred in the hardware market. Several 100-case lines of I.C. coke tin plates changed hands at prices ranging from 11s 10½d to 13s 3d, while a 500-box parcel was moved off at 13s. The indications point to a firmer market. G.C., bar, horseshoe, and sheet iron met with buyers at rates showing no variation on those recently current. Wire nails were also placed at 22½ per cent. off list, while 200 casks of Hemmoor cement were quitted at agents' rates.

Jute goods moved off steadily without change of note. Sales included 50 bales of 11½lb. woolpacks, 1s 6d; 25 bales 11¼lb., 1s 5½d; cornsacks at 4s 3½d to 4s 4d; and branbags 3s 5d.

No increased demand has yet been experienced for kerosene. Holders, however, remain firm at 7¾d to 8d in bond, with equivalent rates for duty-paid oil. Bonded stocks for the week were 50,017, as against 52,240 last week. The Clan M'Farlane's cargo, however, is not included in these figures, nor in all probability is portion of the Tam o' Shanter's. Turps, castor, and China oil were all unchanged in value, although the latter line showed a firmer tendency in face of the increased cost. White lead, which is reported higher in London, sold at £27 10s and £26 10s for quarters and cwts. respectively.

Chemicals ruled quiet throughout; ½-ton of cream of tartar sold at 1s 1d; 2 bottles of quicksilver at quotations; 5 tons of sulphate of iron and 10 hogsheads of bisulphite of lime.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £7887. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £1218; wine, still, £35; sparkling, £80; ale, porter, and beer, in wood, £22; ale, porter, and beer, in bottles, £72; tobacco and snuff, £516; tobacco, unmanufactured, £48; tobacco, unmanufactured, for manufacturing purposes only, £81; cigars, £103; cigarettes, £37; sugar, unrefined, £809; molasses, £16; opium, £47; rice, £55. Specific duties: Bacon and hams, &c., £32; bran, £14; butter, £100; cement, £35; cheese, £63; cocoa and chocolate, £144; fish, dried, preserved, or salt, £31; flour, £29; galvanised iron, £50; glucose, solid, £10; hay and chaff, £139; jams and jellies, £29; meat, preserved, £50; oil, kerosene, £20; oils, other, £18; onions, £12; paints and colours in oil, £15; paper, brown, £17; paper bags, plain, £33; potatoes, £35; powder, blasting, £13; starch, &c., £14; timber, dressed, £171; wheat, £102. Ad valorem: 10 per cent., £1617; 15 per cent., £439. Harbour and light rates, £102; pilotage, Sydney, £63; excise on tobacco, £562; excise on beer, £413. Total, £7887.

EXPORT MARKET.

In addition to the large shipment of hardwood being forwarded to London by Messrs. Scott, Sibbald, and Co., which has already been noted in these columns, the Harvest Queen to-morrow will take the first shipment of barley that has ever left this port. In all 1000 sacks are being shipped to Glasgow by Messrs. Wise Brothers, of Sussex-street, for malting purposes. The grain was grown in the Jerilderie district, and the sample is one which it is considered is very suitable for the purpose to which it will be put. Should this new departure turn out a success, there is no doubt but that other and more extensive shipments will follow. The Harvest Queen also takes tallow, copra, &c., and her arrival in London will be a matter of considerable interest, seeing that the reception she receives may mean the ultimate development of two more large branches to our export industry.

At Darling Harbour to-day 5655 bales of wool were manifested, 593 arrived coastwise, and 756 bales were received by rail at Newcastle yesterday. During the past week ended Friday 28,218 bales of wool were received by rail at Darling Harbour, and 6126 bales arrived coastwise, making a total of 34,344 bales.

At to-day's sales held by the associated brokers sheepskins showed a decidedly weaker tendency. Hides advanced about ¼d upon last week's rates. Tallow declined towards the close of the sales to the extent of about 5s per ton.

LONDON WOOL MARKET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Sept. 13.

The near approach to the wool auctions (Tuesday week, 24th September), and the unwillingness of holders to sell by private treaty, have in some measure checked inquiry for wool at this centre. Not that there is any less eagerness to buy on the part of consumers; where the raw material can be obtained at anything like a price termed reasonable there are plenty ready to buy.

All eyes are now turned to the impending sales, and many are the prognostications as to the extent of the rise; opinions vary; from 10 to 20 per cent. is suggested. There is, however, the first note of warning floating in the air, indicative of a "bearing" process. As we are on the eve of the colonial auction season, it becomes those who expect to be large operators then to support the coming sales in London as little as possible. Hence rumour goes the round that trade on the Continent is not quite up to the mark, that excitement has largely cooled down, and no surprise need be evinced if buyers from that quarter do not support the market in a large way if the opening day denotes a stiff rise.

For the fifth series the quantity seems likely to range somewhere about 235,000 bales, and with the strong demand that is expected large catalogues will doubtless be the order of the day, and the whole course may be run in 15 days' time.

Quite a little flutter of excitement has gone the round during the last few days. Rumour, which had its origin and death in Yorkshire, made out that an enormous amount of wool was lying in some old disused warehouses in London, hoarded by strong speculators, and was ready to be brought out to swell the total at the impending auctions. The ruse was not long-lived, and few if any were foolish enough to rush into the arms of ready buyers of wool and tops. Telegrams passed denying all knowledge of any such stock, which soon allayed any fears of the rumour having any foundation in fact.

During the week the periodical London wool sales have occupied a couple of days. The attendance was large and competition good. A larger proportion of the total catalogued passed the hammer than for a long time back. Sellers on the whole were quite satisfied with the result, and only a small quantity, whose limits were very high, was withdrawn.

The sales serve to show the strength of the market for this class of wool, but scarcely affects the colonial wool industry one way or the other.

A one day's sale of domestic wool at Bristol more closely touches the nerves of this trade, and serves to indicate the probable course of the approaching auctions here, as far as strong-haired wools are concerned. The chief demand was for deep-grown fleeces, which were scarce; prices ranged from 10½d to 12d per lb., whilst for selected lots 13d was the quotation. Skin wools were in active demand at firm rates, as also lamb skin. Down fleeces were slow of sale.

The hosiery trade continues brisk, with a very large consumption of lustre wools, which it is feared will be soon entirely exhausted. Skin wools when placed on the market are readily bought up for immediate requirements.

Notwithstanding a contrary opinion of some trade-article writers in the colonies, farmers would be well advised to cultivate the growth of crossbred wools where the ground is at all favourable, and not be alarmed at an isolated instance, as was the case at last season's colonial wool auctions, where crossbreds were so difficult to sell. The occurrence was so rare that advocates, whose personal interests were perhaps of more concern than that of the grower, caught at the circumstance and advised a return to merino growth. For two reasons the farmer should hesitate before taking any retrograde step. Crossbred wools are used for a greater variety of purposes than merino; the latter is almost wholly confined to wearing apparel, whilst the former is utilised for fabrics of every conceivable description as well as wearing apparel, the demand for which is enormous and ever increasing. The carcase of the sheep is now an important item in the returns of the farmer for freezing purposes. Crossbred mutton is worth more than merino to the English palate by 2s 6d to 5s per sheep.

The trades in the West Riding of Yorkshire show no diminution in volume. Whether one reviews the worsted or woollen branches, activity characterises every phase of their interests.

Top-makers are unwilling sellers, and avoid the markets lest they should be tempted to yield to a pressing customer. Tops of every description are firm, and the tendency is against the buyer. Holders now are eagerly awaiting the opening of the sales in London, in order to base their quotations upon. Yarn spinners are engaged to their full capacity to make deliveries. Manufacturers also are very busy and report substantial new orders from the United States.

In the woollen trades manufacturers have had quite a harvest, and easily obtain advances of 6d and 9d per yard more for cloth. There seems no likelihood of any diminution in the volume of business or the steady upward movement in values, at least for the remainder of this year. The raw material may be getting scarce before the new clip can arrive in any large quantities. The probable increase in River Plate wools over last year's clip will be more than exhausted by direct American purchases from centres of production, which were almost entirely absent last year.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS.

The Bank of England reserve of notes and coin is £31,434,000, as compared with £31,764,000 last week and £27,672,000 during the corresponding week last year. The proportion of the reserves to liabilities is 56·92, as against 57·96 last week and 61·74 last year. The full returns are:—

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£55,530,000	Government debt	£11,015,100
		Other securities	5,784,900
		Gold coin and bullion	38,730,000
	£55,530,000		£55,530,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital	£14,553,000	Government securities	£16,222,000
Public deposits	4,696,000	Other securities	25,220,000
Other deposits	50,406,000	Notes	29,006,000
Rest, seven-day, and other bills	3,221,000	Gold and silver coin	2,428,000
	£72,876,000		£72,876,000

MARKET RATE.

The market rate of discount is quoted at ⅞ per cent.

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of 4th October and corresponding period of last year, are as follow:—

—	Oct 18, 1894.	Oct. 11, 1895.	Oct. 18, 1895.	Rise or Fall in week.
2¾ per cent. Consols	101¼	107¼	107¼	unch.
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	109	118¾	118¼	½ fall
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1924, April-Oct.	100¼	107	106½	½ fall
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, March-Sept.	100¼	106½	105½	1 fall
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan.-July	103	110½	110	½ fall
Vict. 4's, 1904, April-Oct.	104¼	107½	107½	unch.
Vict. 3½'s, 1923, Jan.-July	98½	106¾	105¾	1 fall
S. Aust. 4's, 1916-36	103	113	112	1 fall
S. Aust. 3½'s, 1939	99½	108½	108	½ fall
Q'land 4's, 1915-24	105½	113	112	1 fall
Q'land 3½'s, 1924	97	106¾	105¾	1 fall
N. Zealand 4's, 1929	106	112	111½	½ fall
N. Zealand 3½'s, 1940	101¼	106½	106	½ fall
Tasmania 3½'s, 1940	99½	107¼	106¾	½ fall
West Australian 4's, 1934	111	123	123	unch.

THE METAL MARKET.

Chili copper is quoted firm at 46½ per ton, a fall of ⅛.

Tin.—For Straits tin the cash quotation is ⅛ lower and flat at 65¼, and the three months' quotation firmer at 65¾, a fall of ⅛.

Pig Iron.—For pig iron, Glasgow warrants No. 1, business is reported firm at 47s 6d, a rise of 2d per ton.

Soft foreign lead is quoted steady at £11¼, a fall of ⅛ per ton.

THE SUGAR MARKET.

German beet sugar, 88 per cent., is quoted firm at 10s 9d, a fall of 3d per cwt.; Java, No. 14, is quiet and unchanged at 12s 9d per cwt.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

Adelaide wheat, ex warehouse, quoted firmer and unchanged at 27s 6d per quarter; Melbourne wheat firm and unchanged, ex warehouse, at 27s 6d; New Zealand long-berried is nominally unchanged at 26s 6d per quarter.

Australian superfine flour quoted steady and 6d lower, at 20s per sack of 280lb.

FROZEN MEAT.

Mutton shows little change.

Current quotations are:—

New Zealand mutton, first quality, 4¼d; ditto, second quality, 4⅛d. Melbourne, 3½d.

Average Queensland and Sydney mutton, 3⅜d. New Zealand lamb, 5¼d.

No Australian lamb in market.

Beef: Queensland hindquarters, 3¼d; fores, 2¼d per lb.

BUTTER.

The market for Australasian butter is excited, owing to the prospect of light supplies until December. Finest grade, ex Orient, realised 120s, and fine 116s. Danish has advanced 10 kroner, the London price being 134s per cwt.

NEW ZEALAND HEMP.

Hemp is quiet. New Zealand common sold at £15 5s.

VICTORIAN PEAS.

Victorian peas are quoted at 2s 3d.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

There was a very quiet market on the Stock Exchange to-day, but an increased business in the afternoon, and a good tone at the close. Victoria 4 per cents. stock sold at £110; Metropolitan Board of Works 4 per cents., £104 10s; Mount Lyell 6 per cents., £138; National Bank ordinary, 5s; Royal Bank of Australia, 7s 6d to 7s 9d; National Bank deposit receipts, 18s 4d; Metropolitan Gas, £6 18s; Equity Trustees, 7s; Broken Hill Water Supply, 9s 6d; Mutual Store, 31s; Silverton Tramway, 89s to 88s 6d; Melbourne Tramways, 14s 10½d to 14s 9d.

Wheat is in good demand at 2s 11d to 2s 11½d, but little is offering. Flour is active, both locally and for export, best town roller fetching £7 5s, f.o.b. Bran is firm at 8½d delivered locally, and 8d f.o.b. for export. Prime barley, 3s 4d; low medium, 2s to 2s 4d; fair to good feed Algerian oats, 1s 8½d to 1s 9d; maize weak at 2s 8d to 2s 8½d; peas dull at 2s 5½d; chaff firm up to 70s; Ballarat potatoes weaker at 30s to 35s; onions, 40s. At the tea auction 1321 packages Indian were offered and 114 packages sold, competition being lively and prices firm. Orange pekoe, 8½d to 10½d; pekoe, 7d to 11d; broken pekoe, 6½d to 9½d; good pekoe souchong, 7½d to 8½d; common and broken, 6½d to 7d. Private tea sales are—150 half-chests Panyong, 7d; 60 packages Ceylon, 10d; 100 packages Ceylon, 6½d; 100 packages Indian, up to 8½d. Japan rice, £18 to £18 10s, duty paid; Patna scarce, £19 10s. A good business was done in pepper—white 4½d, black 3d. Currants, 4½d; new sultanas up to 5½d, medium old, 5d; elemes, 5½d; dates, 5d; Jordon almonds, 1s 6d. Tinned fish, good demand. American cod, 3d; ling, 4d. Cream tartar, 11½d to 1s; tartaric acid, 1s 2½d to 1s 3d; citric acid, 1s 4d; bicarb. soda, £9 15s; powdered borax, £27; whiting, 57s 6d; 250 boxes Schiedam candles, 7d; 2000 boxes Goudas sold for export. A shipment of G and H resin sold at £6. Cornsacks are quiet at 4s 4d on the spot; woolpacks, 1s 4½d to 1s 5d in bond for export, 1s 8d to 1s 8½d, duty paid. Fencing wire, £7 15s to £7 16s; barbed wire, £14 15s; tinplates, 12s 9d. Kerosene is selling at 8½d for 1000-case lots, and at 8¾d to 9d for distributing lots. Fifty cases castor oil sold at 2s 3d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Business has been quiet in the produce market during the week. Maize is dull, and quoted at 3s 6d to 3s 7d. Bran and pollard continue very scarce, and worth £5 15s to £6. Chaff was in fair supply. Lucerne is worth £5 10s; mixed, £4 5s to £4 10s; oaten, £5 10s. Potatoes are slow of sale, and prices have declined. Ballarats quoted at £3 5s to £3 7s 6d; local blueskins, £5 5s to £5 10s; Circular Heads, £3 15s to £4. Onions, £3 7s 6d to £3 10s.

PRODUCE INWARD.

KEMPSEY, Friday.

The exports for last month were as follows:—Fat cattle, 60 head; maize, 11,939 bags; horns, 2 bags; bones, 5 bags; turnips, 19 bags; red cabbages, 26 bags; oats, 8 bags; potatoes, 8 bags; eggs, 357 cases; fish, 15 cases; tallow, 5 casks; poultry, 99 coops; hides, 418; horse, 1; butter, 11 kegs; cream, 23 cans; pigs, 1121; sundries, 227 packages.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Gabo sailed to-day for Sydney, with 264 bags chaff, 864 bags flour, 177 bags onions, 1906 bags potatoes, 305 bags bran, 100 bags pollard, 20 bags salt, 45 cases cheese, 10 chests tea, 20 cases jam, 5 sacks seed.

THE PRODUCE MARKETS.—FRIDAY.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

During the past week there has been an active business done, both in farm produce and dairy products. The improved feeling in the forage market, which took place about two weeks ago, is chiefly the result of shrinkages in supplies, stocks being restricted in nearly every instance. The delivery of forage by rail continued on the recent moderate scale; but towards the middle of the week better supplies arrived coastwise. Prices generally are firmer. Both bran and pollard met with brisk sale at late prices. In the feed-grains lines maize advanced 1d on account of the falling-off in the shipments from the Northern rivers. The inquiry at the higher rates was fairly good. Recent advices from New Zealand reported that the oat market was excited, and on the strength of this holders had no difficulty in getting an extra 1d per bushel for prime samples, notwithstanding the fact that the Tekapo (s.) arrived during the week with 8700 bags from New Zealand. Owing to the scarcity of vegetables peas were in good request at a rise of 9d to 1s per bushel. Both chickwheat and barley are also firmer. At the beginning of the week the chaff market was almost bare, and prime samples of the local article were hardly obtainable. Chaff met with active demand until sellers advanced their prices; since then buyers have been operating rather cautiously. The lucerne market has been fairly well supplied, but agents have had no trouble in quitting at higher figures. Prime oaten hay was scarce and in good request at a slight improvement in price. The demand for straw has fallen off considerably, but values remain without quotable change. There was a good deal of business done in potatoes, and owing to no boat arriving this week holders raised their prices 5s per ton. A moderate supply of potatoes arrived from New Zealand, and were principally sold at £3 10s per ton. Onions were quiet, and on account of the inferior samples offering prices are easier. Business in dairy products was very active. The fall in the price of butter was due to the increasing supplies of local makes. Cheese continued very scarce, and in strong demand at improved rates. Melbourne cheese sold up to 8½d per lb. The demand for bacon fell off somewhat, but prices remain as last quoted. Poultry has been in plentiful supply, and prime lots commanded ready sale at late current prices.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

Business was quieter to-day in the produce trade than it has been all the week, but prices nevertheless remained firm and unaltered in nearly every item. In the feed-grains market there was nothing of importance beyond a slight advance in the price of peas. The bran and pollard market was rather quiet at quotations. The demand for chaff generally speaking was slack. Sellers were of opinion that this was due to the fact that buyers do not seem disposed to pay the high prices ruling. About 380 bales of lucerne arrived from the Hunter. The inquiry for lucerne to-day was very strong at late prices. The demand for potatoes was much slower, as the principal buyers preferred to wait the arrival of the Norkoowa's cargo of Circulars. Onions were in limited request up to 65s per ton. In dairy products business was active. Beyond bacon being a shade hard to quit there was nothing to complain of about business in dairy lines.

The first shipment of barley that has left this colony for England has been shipped by the Harvest Queen leaving to-morrow (Saturday). The consignment consists of 1000 bags, grown in the Jerilderie district, New South Wales. Messrs. Wise Brothers, of Sussex-street, are the shippers, the grain being forwarded to Glasgow for malting purposes.

FEED-GRAINS MARKET.

Nothing of importance transpired in the feed-grains market. The only alteration in values is a slight advance in the price of peas.

The following are the quotations:—

Maize.—Firm; fair demand. Prime River maize, 2s 9d per bushel.

Oats.—Firm. Prime, 2s 7d per bushel.

Cape Barley.—Quoted at 2s 6d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue, prime, 4s 9d to 5s; grey, 4s 3d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Scarce. Good inquiry. Best whole samples, 3s 6d to 3s 8d; screenings, 2s 7d to 2s 9d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

The associated millers have fixed the price of their best roller flour at £8 10s per ton. Outside brands are selling slowly at £8 5s. Wheat is nominally worth 3s 6d per bushel.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

A quieter tone prevailed in the Bran and Pollard market, but values remain without quotable change. Each was quoted at 10d per bushel.

FORAGE MARKET.

In the forage market lucerne hay sold readily at late rates. Oaten hay met with improved demand at firmer prices. The demand for chaff was only fair, as buyers are rather reluctant in giving the present high prices.

The current quotations are:—

Chaff.—Good supply. Imported chaff, fair demand. Prime Adelaide, £4 10s to £4 15s; Melbourne, prime, £4 5s to £4 7s 6d. Local: Fairly good demand. Prime, £4 15s; medium, £4 5s; inferior, £3 15s per ton.

Hay.—Good demand for prime. Local oaten in bundles: Prime, £5 to £5 5s; medium, £4 10s; inferior, £3 15s per ton.

Straw.—Fair demand. Local: Derrick-pressed, £2 10s; bundled, £2 10s to £2 15s. Tasmania: Derrick-pressed, £2 12s 6d per ton.

Lucerne.—Brisk demand; fair supply. Hunter River: Prime green, £4; medium, £3 15s per ton. Railway: Prime, £4 to £4 2s 6d; medium, £3 15s; inferior, £3 per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter met with good demand at the reduced prices. A number of firms, however, were still asking an extra ½d for both creamery and best factory butter.

To-day's closing quotations were:—

Butter.—Plentiful. Good demand. Local creamery 12d, with some firms asking 12½d; factory 11d to 11½d, some firms asking up to 12d; Berrima creamery 12½d, factory, best, 12d; South Coast and West Camden quote creamery 1s, factory 11d to 11½d per lb.; Berry Creamery, 1s.

Eggs.—Plentiful. Good demand. North, 5½d; South, 6d per dozen.

Cheese.—Scarce. Active demand, 7½d; Melbourne, 8½d.

Bacon and Hams.—Fair supply. Quieter demand. Hand-cured, 6d; machine, 5d to 5½d; farmers' lots, 3½d to 4½d; extra choice, 5d; farmers' hams not in cloth 6d to 7d, in cloth 7d to 8d, choice 9d per lb.

Poultry.—Fair supply. Brisk demand. Fowls 3s 6d, prime 3s to 3s 6d; ducks, good, 2s 9d to 3s 6d; geese, 4s 6d; turkeys, cocks 10s to 12s, hens 5s to 5s 6d per pair.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Moderate supply. Fair demand. Circulars: Prime, £3 10s; Ballarats, prime samples, £2 15s to £2 17s 6d, New Zealand, prime, £3 7s 6d to £3 10s per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Onions.—Best available, £3 5s per ton.

Honey.—Garden honey, 3d; bush honey, 2d to 2½d per lb.

Beeswax.—Good demand. Choice, 1s to 1s 1d per lb.

Lard.—Scarce. Finely rendered in bladders, 5d; bulk, 4d to 4½d per lb.

Turnips.—Nominal.

WOOD SALES.

At the Darling Harbour wood sales to-day business was fairly brisk. There was a good supply offered. Closing quotations were:—Footwood, inferior, 6s to 7s; good, 7s 6d to 10s 3d; bundled, 7s 6d to 9s; inferior, 6s to 7s; bakers', large, 8s to 8s 6d; split, 6s 3d to 7s; billet, 4s 6d to 8s; bark, 6s per ton.

REDFERN SALE.

At the Redfern Terminus Produce markets this morning a fairly good supply of forage was forward. There was a good attendance of buyers, and business was brisk. Prime chaff sold at 4s 6d. Medium at 4s to 4s 4d per cwt. Oaten hay met with active demand at firmer prices. Prime quality realised 5s to 5s 3d, medium 4s 3d, and very inferior from 2s 6d to 3s 4d per cwt. Potatoes found buyers at 2s 9d to 3s 1d per cwt. Bran was offered, but was passed in unsold. Prime lucerne brought 3s 11d to 4s 2d, medium 3s 6d, and inferior 2s 3d per cwt.

Appended are the proportions of the various descriptions actually submitted at to-day's sale:—Chaff 13, lucerne 13, hay 6, bran 1, and potatoes 1.

The number of trucks manifested this morning was 36, being apportioned as follows:—Hay, 19; chaff, 14; straw, 1; potatoes, 22 bags; wheat, 53 bags; and bran, 22 bags.

Among the consignees were the following:—Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co., Ellis and Co., Dent and Perry, G. Wells, J. Bridge and Co., Heaton Brothers, H. M. Suttor and Co., Robert Little and Co., and John W. Gray and Co.

The above supplies were disposed of as follows:—

Chaff.—From J. Pratley, Perth, (truck Nos. 1104 and 10070) passed; J. Pratley, Bathurst, (2644) 4s 6d; Mehaffy, (4418) passed; Pitt, Kelso, (2211), 4s 1d; Dennis, (2298) 4s; Rowlands, Mandurama, (5174) 4s 4d; Pitt, Raglan, (7134) 4s; M'Kibbin, Brewongle, (4525) 4s; M'Garry, Kelso, (8279) 3s 8d; J. Pratley, Bathurst, (5434) passed; M'Gann, Murrumburrah, (5820) 4s 5d per cwt.; and A'Beckett, Mary Vale, (8042) passed.

Hay.—From Pratley, Kelso, (6478) 5s; Cusick, (2425) 5s 3d; M'Kenzie, Brewongle, (3940) 2s 6d; Soden, George's Plains, (3383) 3s 4d; Hamer, Perth, (8038) 4s 2d; and Collins, Bathurst, (5408) 4s 5d per cwt.

Lucerne.—From Dunston, Windsor, (5764) passed; Greentree, Windsor, (10,683) 3s 8d; Smith, Mulgrave, (9715) 3s 10d; Conlan, Windsor, (3642) 3s 10d; Hannabus, Mulgrave, (2389) 3s 7d; Whiteman, Perth, (6457) 4s 2d; Rutter, Windsor, (3590) 3s 5d; Turnbull, (319) 3s 6d; Shute, Wimbledon, (2777) 3s 9d, and oaten hay, 3s 8d; Bartlett, West Maitland, (4957) 3s 8d; Quigan, (5421) 3s 11d; M'Gregor, (3353) 3s 10d per cwt.; and Enright, (5629) passed.

Bran.—From Furness, Cowra, (1029) passed, pollard passed, and screenings passed.

Potatoes.—From J. Dobbie, Fydal, (3569) 3s 1d and 2s 9d per cwt.

PRODUCE RETURNS.

The following is a return of the principal lines of produce received by rail at Redfern for the week ended 18th October, together with the figures for the corresponding week of the preceding year:—

—	Hay	Chaff	Straw	Potatoes	Bran	Pollard	Maize
	Tr'ks.	Tr'ks.	Tr'ks.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1895	72	45	19	22	16	21	30
1894	30	119	19	332	31	—	32

It will be seen from the return that hay shows an increase of 42 trucks and chaff a decrease of 74 trucks. Straw is the same as last year. In potatoes a deficiency of 310 tons has occurred. Bran shows a shrinkage of 15 tons and pollard 21 tons. Maize is much the same as last year.

FRUIT MARKETS.

Business in the fruit trade at the various metropolitan markets this morning was brisk. The supply of all kinds of seasonable fruit was only fair. At the Bathurst-street Exchange apples met with indifferent sale at late rates. In citrus fruits an active business was done. Oranges were very scarce, and sold readily at late high prices. In the export trade business was active, and oranges in packers were quoted at from 4s to 7s, which is an advance of 2s per case. Lemons were in poor supply, and the demand continued strong at 9s 6d to 10s per gin case for the second crop. Passion fruit was exceedingly scarce, and prices were again dearer. Pineapples commanded good sale at slightly firmer prices. Bananas were only in moderate supply, and they met with good demand at quotations. Queensland tomatoes were rather plentiful, and agents were glad to quit at reduced rates. Mandarins were quitted at late current quotations. There was a fair sprinkling of strawberries and mulberries, and both met with fairly good sale at the prices quoted.

Current quotations are:—

Bananas.—Good demand. Moderate supply. 3s 6d to 3s 6d, large choice 4s to 4s 6d per bunch.

Apples.—Fairly plentiful. Slow sale. Hobart: Scarlets, good 10s, medium 6s to 7s 6d, small for jam 3s to 3s 6d; French Crabs, choice 6s 6d to 7s, small 5s 6d to 6s; Stummers, good medium, 6s, choice 7s, inferior lots from 3s 6d to 4s 6d per case.

Cocoanuts.—Scarce supply. 7s to 7s 6d per bag.

Lemons.—Poor supply. Brisk demand. Choice 9s 6d to 10s per gin-case.

Mandarins.—Fair supply. Fair demand. Choice 15s to 16s, good medium 12s to 14s, small 6s, inferior and small 2s 6d per gin-case.

Oranges.—Very scarce. Good inquiry. Windfalls, good, 3s 6d to 5s; small pulled oranges 6s; good, 8s to 9s; seedlings, choice, 10s to 12s. Navel oranges, choice 15s to 16s, good 10s to 12s, Adelaide 17s 6d to 18s per gin-case. Packers' pulled oranges choice, 4s to 5s 6d; very choice up to 7s.

Passion Fruit.—Very scarce. Medium, 15s per gin-case; choice, 11s to 12s half-case.

Pineapples.—Fair supply. Good demand. Common pines, 7s to 8s 6d; Queens, 7s 6d, choice 8s to 8s 6d per case.

Tomatoes.—Queensland: Ripe 2s 6d to 3s, green 1s 6d to 2s per quarter-case.

Strawberries.—Moderate supply. 2s to 3s 6d per quart.

Mulberries.—2s 6d to 3s 6d per quarter-case; choice, 5d to 6d per quart.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

There was a medium supply of vegetables on the Belmore markets yesterday morning, but nevertheless it was quite equal to the demand which was somewhat slack. The bulk of the vegetables was of an inferior description, and prices ruled a shade easier, except for the principal lines. Cabbages, cauliflowers, and peas commanded ready sale at quotations, but other kinds of vegetables met with rather slow demand. Carrots, turnips, radishes, and asparagus sold at easier prices. No French beans were forwarded, but prices remain without quotable change.

Quotations are as follows:—Cabbages, small 2s, good 3s to 4s, choice 4s 6d to 6s; cauliflowers, local, choice 8s, medium 5s to 7s, inferior 3s per dozen; peas, 7s, inferior 5s per bushel; carrots, 10d to 1s 3d; turnips, 1s to 1s 6d; lettuce, 6d; radishes, 4d; beetroot, 1s to 1s 6d; parsnips, 1s 6d to 2s 6d, celery, 1s 6d to 3s; herbs, 1s to 1s 6d; mint, 1s; eschalots, 1s; leeks, 1s 6d to 2s; parsley, 1s to 2s; spinach, 1s; horse-radish, 6s; watercress, 1s 6d to 2s per dozen bunches; green fodder, 4d to 6d per dozen bundles; swedes, 7s to 8s per cwt., and 1s 9d per dozen bunches; asparagus, 6s to 9s per dozen bunches; broad beans, 3s per bushel; Queensland tomatoes, ripe, 4s to 5s per quarter-case; rhubarb, 2s 6d to 3s 6d per dozen bunches; French beans, nominally 8s to 10s per bushel.

STORE STOCK SALE.

Messrs. Trebeck, Son, and Co. report having sold for Messrs. R. Vickery and Son, from their Nowley and Mungyer stations (in conjunction with Mr. W. H. Readett), 12,000 2-tooth wethers at 4s 9d cash delivery "off shears," being the highest price obtained for some years.

CHILLED MEAT SALES.

Messrs. M'Master, Hudson, and Co. (Country-killed Meat Agency) report:—Heavy supplies of both beef and mutton this week, and buyers being duly notified were in excellent attendance daily. Chilled meat is growing in popularity amongst consumers, who recognise its superiority. Our best retail butchers always give it the preference. Prices were a shade lower than last week, especially for prime quality; medium held at recent quotations, but the demand was not so firm. We sold 418 bodies of beef, representing consignments from the Aberdeen Chilling Works, Maitland, Goulburn, Waratah, and Morpeth. Quotations:—Beef: Extra prime bodies 2½d, hinds 2¾d, fores 1¾d; prime bodies 1¾ to 2d, hinds 2½d, fores 1½d; medium bodies 1½d, hinds 2d, fores 1½d. Mutton: Prime 1½d, medium 1¼d. Porkers, 3½d; lambs, 4s 6d; veal, 2d to 2½d.

Messrs. Tompson, Manning, and Jeremy report:—Supplies of beef and mutton at Government Meat Market were below our requirements for the trade during past week, and the market throughout has been brisk. Beef: The supply consisted of about 900 quarters, principally medium to prime quality. We quote prime bodies worth 2¼d to 2½d per lb.; hinds, 2¾d; fores, 1¾d to 1½d per lb.; medium about one farthing per lb. less. Mutton: Only 2000 carcases forward, the whole of which passed through our hands. Prime quality is making 1½d per lb; medium, 1¼d. We sold consignments from Dubbo, Narrandera, and Maitland; also through Narrandera office 290 fat cattle, making 1500 head we have disposed of within the last four weeks. We have this week given delivery of 4000 sheep for export.

NEWCASTLE COMMERCIAL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

In the Produce market business still continues brisk. During the past week the orders for new fruits from up-country for Christmas requirements have been coming in freely. All sorts of produce have more than maintained late prices; the demand being still large has caused supplies in some instances to run short. Bran, pollard, flour, wheat, cheese, maize, potatoes and peas, are all considerably firmer, and values have advanced. One or two small consignments of New Zealand potatoes have been discharged during the week, and were sold at the ship's slings, the demand being brisk, and the potatoes of excellent quality. Butter has also risen in price, and is now quoted at creamery, kegs 1s 1d, prints 1s 2d; Victorian, kegs 1s to 1s 1d, prints 1s 1d to 1s 2d. Other prices are:—Bran, £4 15s to £5; barley, Cape and English, 2s 3d; chaff, £4 to £4 7s 6d, bacon, 6d to 6½d; cheese, 8d to 8½d; hams, New Zealand and English, according to quality, 10½d to 11d; hay, lucerne £4 4s to £4 8s, oaten £3 15s to £4; lard, 5½d to 6d; maize, 2s 10d to 2s 11d; oats, 2s 9d to 2s 10d; onions, £3 15s to £4; oatmeal, New Zealand £12 10s to £13 10s, Sydney milled, £16 10s to £17 10s; pollard, £4 12s 6d to £4 15s; potatoes, Ballarat £3 to £3 2s 6d, Circular Head and New Zealand £3 5s to £3 10s, new boiling peas, 4s per bushel; straw, £2 5s to £2 10s; wheat, 3s 6d to 3s 7d; flour, £8 15s to £9.

The share market during the past week has exhibited no special features. Bank stocks remain firm at last quotations. In deposits, A. J. Stock are in demand at 16s; Commercial Banking Company of Sydney at 20s. In breweries, Castlemaine, Wood Brothers were taken to 19s 3d and Tooths to 19s. Newcastle Gas also had inquiry at £3 17s, while Wallsends were quoted at 7s 6d nominal, Newcastle Hunter River Steam were slightly easier, sellers offering at 13s 6d. Mont-de-Piétes met with exchange at 27s 9d, and closed firm. In coal, Wallsends were in favour at £20 10s, and Newcastle at £5. Hettons, however, were easier at 55s, with Stocktons at 5s 9d, and Wickham and B. Islands at 10s 6d. Gold and silver shares have received strong support at fluctuating prices.

In the intercolonial trade, the only charter effected has been the Coquette, to load East Greta coal for Wanganui. The G. C. Perkins, now discharging, will also load East Greta coal for Lyttelton. Freights are firm at Auckland and Wellington 8s, Lyttelton 9s 6d, Wanganui 15s, Gisborne 15s, Napier 12s.

The timber trade has been fairly active during the week. The Inverell, from Montrose, and the Lake Ontario, from Frederickstadt, now in Sydney, will bring on half a million feet of Baltic timber, the greater portion of which is sold ex ship at rates ranging from 9s 6d for pin. Cement is in moderate demand. Anchor and KBS brands command about 11s 6d per cask. Galvanised iron is moving slowly at about £18 for O.R.B. brands.

The cranes have been working steadily during the week, principally with steamers. The B.I.S.N. Company's Booldana arrived this morning and will take about 2300 tons coal. She will then proceed to Melbourne to load horses for India. The s.s. Oruba is loading Stockton, East Greta, and Newcastle Coal Company's coal at the dyke, and will take about 3800 tons for Melbourne, and after making another trip in the intercolonial trade will go on the wool berth for London. The Adelaide Company's steamer Marloo arrived at the dyke on the 14th instant to take in coal, and left on the 16th with 2800 tons for Port Augusta and Port Pirie.

The harbour does not present a very busy appearance, there being hardly a score of vessels in port. The export of coal has reached 38,233 tons. Although this is a fair weekly average of export for some months past, yet the outlook of the coal trade does not present very encouraging features either to the proprietors or the miners. Competition still continues in the selling price, and the miners await with painful suspense expected announcements of future reductions in the hewing rate. One of the largest colliery proprietors does not hesitate to suggest that the miners all round should agree to work at 2s 9d per ton, the selling price for a time to be fixed at 6s per ton. It is contended that this would be the means of closing up some of the smaller collieries, whose owners have, it is alleged, been most active in underselling, but who could not afford to carry on at 6s. Various other suggestions are abroad, and hints of a general refusal to work if further reductions are attempted are in the air. Altogether the position is embarrassing. The export for the past week is thus distributed:—Victoria, 11,730; Chili, 8081; Tasmania, 300; United States, 4555; New Zealand, 2872; Panama, 900; South Australia, 6550; Mexico, 1410; New Hebrides, 435; total, 38,233 tons.

There is no alteration in foreign freights.

THE CITY YARDS.

At the City Yards during the week about 83 calves were penned, the bulk of which consisted of inferior quality, with a few young fresh vealers, which sold readily. This supply again proved to be well within requirements, consequently last week's improved values remained firm, competition being very brisk, and strong demand for good quality. Best yarded made from 38s to 42s, good 29s to 35s, medium from 19s to 25s, inferior from 14s. Pigs: Yardings this week were not quite so heavy, consequently prices remain very firm, late rates being fully maintained, and strong demand for good and prime qualities continues. Large prime heavy-weight pigs 50s to 6?s, prime baconers 40s to 47s, good and heavy 34s to 38s, others from 27s, according to quality; prime porkers 18s to 23s, good 15s to 17s, light and inferior from 10s, stores making from 5s to 9s, according to quality. Milch cows: There was not quite so many in as usual at our yards on Thursday, and as the demand was very brisk, especially for prime quality, we cleared all forward at satisfactory prices. The dry cattle market was firmer, and we obtained very good prices for all the fat cattle in the afternoon. Quotations: Milch cows, £2 to £9 10s; fat £3 to £5 9s; dry, 10s to 36s each.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, sold about 250 pigs at full market rates.

Messrs. Maiden, Bros. sold 171 pigs during the week as follows:—32 from Macleay River to 38s 6d, 14 from Clarence to 18s 6d, 45 from Richmond to 30s, 13 from Suga to 26s 6d, four from Wollongong to 25s 6d, 63 from Manning to 34s.

Messrs. J. C. Young and Co.—Sold 24 medium calves from the Hunter from 10s 6d to 25s 6d; and 267 pigs as follows:—240 pigs from the North, to 43s, averaging £1 5s 8d; 7 from Ulmarra, averaging 13s 7d; 5 from Oakendale, averaging 11s 7d.

Messrs. Weaver and Perry.—30 pigs from the Paterson, averaging 17s 2d; and 14 from the suburbs.

Messrs. Wm. Inglis and Son.—37 milch cows, from £3 to £9 15s; 14 dry cows, from £1 5s to £3; 16 fat cows, from £3 7s 6d to £6 8s; 13 calves for Roberts at 17s to 44s; 35 calves for M'Minn at 11s to 31s; 16 calves for Watson at 14s to 23s; 8 calves for Williams at 11s to 19s; and 25 in smaller lots at 5s 6d to 13s 6d; and at their Railway Yards 20 pigs from Menangle at 27s to 37s 6d; 28 pigs from Moss Vale at 23s to 44s; 23 pigs from Hunter River at 9s to 23s; 38 pigs, suburban lots, at 22s to 56s; 80 store pigs at 4s 6d to 11s; also, at the Corporation Yards, 20 pigs from Eden at 21s to 44s; 28 pigs from Liverpool at 22s to 27s 6d.

Messrs. Ellis and Co.—34 fat calves for various owners at 5s to 50s 6d each; 50 fat pigs for Pridham at 19s to 50s; 30 fat pigs for Whelan at 16s 6d to 38s; 49 fat calves for Bell at 7s 6d to 21s 6d; 47 fat pigs for various owners at 16s to 40s each; 67 store pigs for various owners to 14s 6d each.

Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co.—40 fat calves from Gundagai (very young and light) up to 42s, averaging £1 2s. 500 pigs, comprising the following lots:—32 baconers from the South Coast up to 38s, averaging 35s 2d; 34 baconers and porkers from the South Coast up to 38s, averaging 28s 5d, 149 to 47s 6d; 42 from the Richmond to 48s; 52 from the Clarence to 47s; 50 from the Hunter to 40s 6d; 20 from the Nambucca to 39s 6d; 24 from the Hawkesbury to 14s 5d; and other small drafts.

STOCK AND STATION PRODUCE.

The Sydney Wool-selling Brokers' Association (the Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, John Bridge and Co., Campbell, Nimmo, and Co., Dalgety and Co., Limited, the Pastoral Finance Association, Limited, Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., M'Burney, Wallis, and Co., New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., J. C. Young and Co.) report that sales were held yesterday as under:—

Sheepskins.—The market showed a decidedly weaker tendency for all lines except superior merino and crossbreds. Medium grades were ¼d to ½d lower in most cases, especially where much seed or burr was shown. Shorn pelts unaltered. Quotations:—Fulls, 4d to 5¼d; superior lines, to 5½d; fair, to 3¾d; medium, 3d to 3½d; short, 1¼d to 2¼d per lb.; butchers' greenskins, 28d to 45d; short, 18d to 26d each; pelts, 1½d to 2¼d per lb.

Hides.—Supplies on Friday scarcely reached the usual average in quantity, and strong demand was experienced for good conditioned Queensland boilers at an advance of about an eighth upon last week's rates. Best conditioned hides, 50lb. and upwards, were decidedly firmer, but light hides, and toses off dead cattle, were dull and in poor request. Prime meatworks hides, superior and good heavy, 4d to 4½d; medium, 3¾d to 3¼d; light, 3½d to 3½d; ordinary extra heavy, 65lb. and upwards, 3½d to 3½d; good heavy, 60lb. to 65lb., 3½d to 3½d; fair heavy 3d to 3½d; ordinary and cloppy, 2½d to 3d; medium, 50lb. to 58lb., best, 3½d to 3½d; ordinary, 2½d to 3d; light, 38lb. to 45lb., best, 3½d to 3d; ordinary, 1½d to 2½d; dry station, 3½d to 3d; hides off dead cattle, 2½d to 3½d. Owing to the lateness of the hour to which sales extended, Messrs. J. C. Young and Co. postponed their catalogue till Monday next, at 10 a.m.

Tallow.—This week's market opened at about the rates last ruling, but as sales progressed competition weakened somewhat, buyers towards the close holding off to some extent, and inducing an average decline of about 5s per ton. Quotations: Prime mutton, £21 5s to £21 10s; medium mutton, £20 5s to £20 15s; prime beef, £19 5s to £20 5s; medium beef, £19 to £19 10s; prime mixed, £20 to £20 5s; medium mixed, £18 15s to £19 5s; broken, small, and inferior parcels, £17 to £18 5s. The number of casks offered was 917, of which 634 were sold.

WEST MAITLAND HIDE AND SKIN SALES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

The weekly hide and skin sale was held at Campbell's Hill on Wednesday. There was an excellent attendance of buyers, and biddings were brisk throughout. Hides in large supply, but owing to a fall in the metropolitan markets values here were much easier, particularly in medium and inferior descriptions. Best heavies brought 15s to 15s 3d; heavies, 10s to 14s; medium, 7s to 9s 6d; inferior, 4s 6d to 6s; yearlings, 1s 6d to 3s. Large supplies of sheepskins were offered, but all descriptions suffered a decline of 6d to 1s per skin. Best qualities sold at 4s to 5s; good, 3s to 3s 9d; medium, 2s to 2s 9d; inferior, 1s to 2s.

PROPERTY SALES.

The week's business in real estate was comparatively unimportant. Nevertheless at the auction sales there was rather better competition for good rent-producing properties. Though it cannot yet be said that it is brisk, the fact that there is some little improvement is encouraging, and shows that the tide has turned, and doubtless will begin to flow more freely with the settlement of taxation. As has before been pointed out, the effect of any likely tax ought to be fairly gauged and business conducted on the new basis, and we shall not be surprised to find that those who have confidence to operate in this way at present prices, in rent-producing properties at any rate, will have no reason to regret their purchases.

Richardson and Wrench, Limited, report having sold by auction and privately during the week the following properties:—Two houses fronting Bourke-street, city, and house fronting Short-street, for the sum of £1780; business premises No. 204 King-street, Newtown, for the sum of £600; cottage fronting Princes-street, city, for £320; cottage fronting the same street, together with small premises at rear, for the sum of £370; house fronting Clyde-street, Miller's Point, for the sum of £200; building fronting Princes-street, city, for the sum of £190; block of land, forming portion of the Waitara Estate subdivision, Milson's Point to Hornsby Railway, for £117 15s 7d.

Mr. E. C. V. Broughton reports having sold during this week: Mount Albion Estate, Waverley: Lot 22, 40ft. frontage to Albion-street, by a depth of 150ft., £3 per foot; lots 34, 35, 80ft. to Douglas-street, by a depth of 150ft., at £4 per foot. West Kensington Estate: Lot 112, £10; lot 88, £10. Terminus Estate, Belmore: Lots 15, 16, section 5, 40ft. to Peel-street, by a depth of 117ft., 15s per foot; lots 6, 7, 8, section 3, 20ft. to Belmore-avenue, by depth of 120ft., at 12s 6d per foot. Kemp's Estate, Penshurst: Lot 29, section 2, 3s per foot; lots 67 to 72, and 84 to 87 of section 3, 200ft., at 3s 6d per foot. Rooty Hill, Jersey Estate, 10 allotments, having 200ft. frontage, at 6d per foot cash.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—On the Ground, the Durham Estate, Dulwich Hill, at 3, Land.

J. Y. MILLS.—On the Ground, the Great Northern Hotel Paddock Subdivision, at 3, Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

J. R. LAWSON.—On the Premises, Granville, near the station, at 2.30, Stock-in-Trade, Plant, Book Debts, Groceries, Ironmongery, Shop Fittings, &c.

PARKER and CREAGH.—At 207 Goulburn-street, at 2.30, Furniture, Sewing Machine, &c.

M. V. SOLOMON and CO.—At their Rooms, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, &c.

J. BROWN and CO.—At 35 Glebe-road, Glebe, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 71 Regent-street, at 2.30, Furniture, &c.

J. G. FLEMING and SONS.—On the premises, High-street, off Point Piper-road, Paddington, at 2, Furniture, Glassware, Cutlery, &c.

L. PHILLIPS.—At 287 Pitt-street, at 11, Furniture, Sewing Machine, Mirrors, &c.

M'INTYRE and HORNING.—On the premises, Underclif-street, Neutral Bay, at 11, Furniture and Effects.

DALWOOD and CO.—At their Mart, at 10.30, Cedar Counters, Revolvers, Shutters, Doors, Gasaliers, Furniture, Gas Stoves, &c.

STRONGMAN and WATSON.—At Rooms, Burwood, at 3, Furniture, &c.

EVANS and CO.—At 158 Enmore-road, Enmore, at 3, Furniture, &c.

WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE.

SYDNEY WOOL-SELLING BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.—At the various Stores, at 9.30, Hair, Horns, Bones.

HORSES, HARNESS, AND VEHICLES.

J. R. LAWSON.—On the premises, Granville, near the Station, at 2.30, Ponies, Saddles, &c.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, &c.

WEAVER and PERRY.—At Bungarribee, near Blacktown, at 1, Dairy Cattle.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 9, Wood, &c.

HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Horticultural Society was held on Wednesday night at the Temperance Hall. Mr. J. Golding occupied the chair. Many valuable exhibits were placed on the table. Amongst them was a splendid specimen of the Dendrobium nobile, an Indian plant, which was exhibited by Mr. Lee, gardener to Captain Smith. A paper on "Neglected Plants" was read by Mr. Woolf.

THE ASSAULT AND ROBBERY IN CLEVELAND-STREET.

Yesterday Detective Roche effected the arrest of the second man who is alleged to have been concerned in the robbery and assault, as reported in yesterday's *Herald*, upon Mr. James Stedman in Cleveland-street, Redfern, on Thursday evening. The man gave the name of John Charles. It is believed that his correct name is Gallagher. He was arrested in a house in Surry Hills. Hugh Darrell, who was arrested on Thursday, a few minutes after the assault, was brought up at the Redfern Police Court yesterday and remanded. Detective Roche has photographs of both the men. Gallagher, it is believed, was born in Ireland, but with his companion, Darrell, lived for a considerable time in Victoria.

It appears that the assault upon Mr. Stedman was not of the aggravated description that was at first reported, he not having been struck with an iron instrument. A young man named Francis, who witnessed the assault, states that Gallagher struck Mr. Stedman with his fist only, but the blow was aimed at his temple, and, though Mr. Stedman was not rendered unconscious, he was stunned for a little while. He recovered, however, sufficiently quickly to join in the chase after the two men. The chase was an exciting one. Mr. Stedman having released the bag he was carrying in his hand when he was struck upon the temple, Darrell held it, and, with his companion, ran down Bullanaming-street, turning into a street leading to Regent-street, and then following Regent-street to its intersection with Cleveland-street. At Cleveland-street Senior-constable Proctor joined in the chase, and quickly overtook Darrell, who dropped the bag he was carrying when closely pressed, a night watchman named Walsh taking hold of him a second or two before the constable. The bag was picked up by the young man Francis, and handed over to Mr. Stedman. It contained between £255 and £260.

The third competition for the Boswell gun took place at the New South Wales Gun Club's grounds, Botany, yesterday, and resulted in a win for Mr. H. Garratt, who killed nine birds out of 10. Mr. M'Intosh was runner-up.

The result of the late charity carnival promoted by the Forest Lodge Harriers was, owing to the small attendance of the public, a loss of £55. To assist the club's funds, a concert is advertised to be held under the direction of Mr. Charles Husnerbein at the Glebe Town Hall on Monday.

Public Notices.

LODGE ST. ANDREW.

MASONIC ART UNION.

RESULT OF DRAWING.

No. of Prize.	Winning Number.	No. of Prize.	Winning Number.
1	2620	39	4614
2	1950	40	946
3	638	41	6277
4	4865	42	4734
5	2298	43	6586
6	881	44	5321
7	5016	45	4586
8	4813	46	4641
9	6264	47	980
10	4850	48	1073
11	2982	49	5761
12	573	50	2763
13	6520	51	6092
14	6823	52	6284
15	683	53	A. W. Kershaw, E. Maitland.
16	3592	54	948
17	6066	55	3390
18	4885	56	203
19	6349	57	2185
20	144	58	6033
21	3261	59	2818
22	976	60	5693
23	6217	61	485
24	1898	62	2595
25	5061	63	3784
26	1696	64	2197
27	3307	65	[illegible]
28	2194	66	[illegible]
29	3371	67	4353
30	3809	68	1780
31	1484	69	5741
32	497	70	3097
33	870	71	5665
34	5346	72	5713
35	5370	73	3331
36	5013	74	9194
37	3106	75	3086
38	5857	76	5073

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Business showed a slight increase in the Mining market yesterday. In silver companies Broken Hill Proprietary shares changed hands at 44s, and Junction North advanced from 6s to 6s 3d, and closed at 6s 1d. In gold companies Maritana shares, which on the previous day sold at 20s 3d, eased to 17s. Mount Charlotte Central eased to 2s 2d, a fall of 5d, and Maritana North to 5s 4d, a fall of 7d. In copper companies Lake George United shares were dealt in at 8s 9d and 9s, and Great Cobar at 14s 6d.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The latest quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.		
Hetton	48/	57/
Newcastle	5	5½
Stockton	—	6/
Vale of Clwydd	4/	—
Wallsend	20¼	—
Waratah	20/	30/
Wickham and Bullock I.	—	10/9
Ditto New	4/	7/6
Ditto pref.	19/9	—
COPPER.		
Great Cobar	14/	14/6
New Mt. Hope	3/3	5/9
Lake George United	9/	9/2
SILVER.		
Broken Hill	—	45/6
Block 10	—	80/
Central	—	23/6
Junction	28/6	30/
Ditto North	6/1	6/2
South	13/3	14/6

	Buyer.	Seller.
GOLD.		
Amos	—	£10
Baker's Creek	14/1	14/6
Band and Albion Consols	7/6	—
Brilliant	16/3	—
Block 45	13/	17/
Croesus	14/	14/6
Do. Extend.	3/	3/2
Great Boulder	£6 5/	—
Hannan's Nth.	—	7/
Kapai - Vermont A	—	13/6
Maritana	17/6	18/
Ditto North	5/2	5/3
Moon's	6/6	7/6
Mount Gahan	3/9	4/
Mt. Morgan	56/6	—
Mt. Charlotte Central	2/1	2/2
Ditto East	—	3/
Sunlight	6/6	7/9
Ditto West, con.	1/2	—

The following sales were reported:—Morning—Copper: Lake George United, 8s 9d. Silver: Broken Hill, 44s; Junction North, 6s, 6s 1d, 6s 2d, 6s 1½d, 6s 2½d, 6s 3d. Gold: Golden Bar, 10s 9d; Maritana, 18s 6d; Monte Christo, contributing, 3s 3d; Hannan's Central, contributing, 10s 3d; Maritana North, 5s 10d; Mount Charlotte Central, 2s 5d; Boulder Consolidated, 2s 2d. Noon—Copper: Lake George United, 9s. Silver: Junction, 28s 6d; ditto North, 6s. Gold: Maritana, 17s; Mount Gahan, 4s; Mount Charlotte Central, 2s 2d; Jones's Caledonia, 1s 6d. Afternoon—Copper: Great Cobar, 14s 6d; Lake George United, 8s 9d, 9s. Silver: Junction North, 6s, 6s 1d; Curtain and Davis, £6 5s 6d. Gold: Maritana North, 5s 4d; Mount Charlotte Central, 2s 3d, 2s 2d; Jones's Caledonia, 1s 8d.

An advertisement appears elsewhere regarding the Federation Gold-mining and Cyanide Quartz-crushing Company, Gundagai. It announces that the share list will be closed shortly.

ALBURY, Friday.

Mr. M'Grath, of One Tree Hill, Black Range, crushed a parcel of two tons of stone for the gratifying yield of 10oz. 5dwt. The stone was taken from the 20ft. level, and included a good proportion of mullock. The bulk of the gold in fact was obtained from about 7cwt. of stone.

GRENFELL, Friday.

This morning some splendid stone was come upon in the Young O'Brien gold mine here. At the bottom level the stone shows a quantity of strong coarse gold embedded in the solid quartz, and the prospects of this mine are exceedingly good. This is the mine which Mr. Alfred Woodhouse, F.G.S., an expert with a world-wide reputation, lately visited and reported on for some gentlemen in Sydney, and is the first mine in New South Wales which Mr. Woodhouse has visited or reported on. It is understood that Mr. Woodhouse gave a most satisfactory opinion and report on the mine. This property is in every respect a genuine one, and is only one of many in this district which will be before long thoroughly and efficiently worked.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The share market was exceedingly dull to-day, and the volume of business transacted has not been so small for some considerable time. The sales included:—Proprietary, 43s, 43s 9d; Block 14, 16s 6d, 15s 9d; British, 8s 11d; Junction, 28s; Junction North, 5s 10d, 6s 3d; Baker's Creek, 14s, 13s 9d; Great Boulder, £6 12s, £6 14s, £6 11s; Boulder Central, paid, 9s 9d, 9s 4d—contributing, 8s 6d; Block 45, 14s 6d, 13s 6d, 14s; Bayley's Consols, 1s 5d; Croesus, 14s 6d, 14s 9d, 13s 6d; Croesus Extended, 2s 11d, 2s 9d; Coolgardie, 52s 6d, 53s, 52s; Golden Bar, 10s 6d, 10s, 10s 9d; Golden Zone, paid, 6s 1½d; Hannan's Central, con., 10s 6d; Ivanhoe South Extended, 5s 1d, 4s 11d, 5s 3d; Kirkpatrick, Mount Benson, 7s 6d; Lake View, 51s 9d, 52s 6d; Lady Mary, 7s 6d; Londonderry Consols, 2s 6d; Moonta, 6s 10d; Mount Charlotte East, 2s 2d; ditto Central, 2s 4d, 2s 1d; Maritana, contributing 17s 9d, 17s 6d; ditto Central, 3s 9d, 3s 10d; ditto North, 5s 2d; ditto Extended, 1s 8d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d; Mount Benson, 6s 9d; 6s 4½d; Royal Mint, contributing 12s; Royal Dane, paid 8s 9d, 9s; contributing 7s 9d; Reefer Eureka, 10s 6d; Tindal's, 7s, 7s 3d; Three Colonies, 8s 6d, 8s 4d; Victory, 6s 9d; Norseman Crushing, 7s, 6s 11d.

GYMPIE, Friday.

Mr. Thomas Smith reports:—Phœnix Prospectors' Tribute crushed 384 tons for a yield of 641oz. gold. Sales: Great New Zealand, 1s 3½d; Jones's Caledonian, 3s to 3s 6d; Lady Mary and New Zealand, 11d to 1s 0½d; No. 8 Lady Mary, 1s 6d; Phœnix No. 4 North, 7s. To-night's quotations: Smithfield Golden Pile, seller 5s 11d, buyer 5s 6d; Columbia No. 1 North, seller 1s 10d, buyer 1s 4d; New Zealand Prospectors, seller 1s 3d, buyer 1s; Smithfield No. 1 North, seller 10s 9d, buyer 8s 10d; Phœnix No. 5 North, seller 10s 3d, buyer 9s 6d; Phœnix No. 6 North, seller 2s, buyer 1s 10d.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

There was a rather dull market for most Broken Hill silver companies. Lower prices were accepted for Block 10 and South Broken, but Junction North, after selling at 5s 11d rose to 6s 2d, at which they closed in request. North Broken were in strong demand, and several thousand changed hands at 6s 3d, 6s 2d, and 6s 6d, closing firm. Block 10 sold at 77s to 75s 6d; British, 8s 9d; South, 10s 9d to 11s. A moderate extent of business was done in Tasmanian silver companies. Central Mount Lyell sold at 4s 6d; Comet, 9s to 9s 6d; King Lyell, £21; Mount Lyell, 81s 6d to 81s; South Mount Lyell, 8s, and paid, 8s to 8s 6d; Curtin and Davis, £6 3s to £6 13s. Further reduced prices ruled for Western Australian gold ventures. Business was not active. Croesus sold at 14s 3d to 13s; Fortune of War, 3s 11d; Ivanhoe, 37s; Tindal's, 6s 10½d to 7s 4d; Maritana, 17s 9d, 17s, 17s 6d; Great Boulder, £6 15s. Among Victorian gold companies, Band and Albion sold at 8s 3d; Black Horse, 13s; Central Plateau, 4s 6d; North Duke, 11s; Egerton, 8s 4½d; Great Southern and Chiltern Valley, 4s—and paid, 13s; Great Northern Extended Consols, 13s 9d; Great Southern No. 1, 9s 3d; North Long Tunnel, 50s; Madame Berry, 40s, 45s; New Kohinoor, 4s 6d, 4s; North Prentice, 50s, 51s 6d—and paid, 52s, 52s 6d; North Shenandoah, 11s; Prentice Freehold, 39s 6d, 39s 3d; Southern and Prentice, 5s 6d; Star of the East, 14s, 14s 3d; West Berry Consols, 4s 6d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Brisbane Exchange sales: South New Zealand Junction, 1s 4d, 1s 3½d, 1s 3d; Jones's Caledonia, 2s, 2s 1d, 2s 5d, 2s 3½d.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

Sales: Kelly's Queen Blocks, forward delivery, 16s; ditto, paid, 16s 8d; Brilliant Freeholds, 6s 6d; Brilliant St. George United, 41s 6d; No. 3 West Day Dawn, 2d; Imperial No. 2 West, 8d; Milligan's Caledonian, 10½d; No. 6 Queen's, 2s 6d; Papuan Brilliant Victoria, 14s; Queen Cross Reef, 12s; Warrior, 3d; Victoria Queen, 3s 7½d; Victoria No. 1 West, 3s; New Brilliant, 10s, forward delivery; Victoria Block, 1s 5d.

NARRANDERA, Friday.

A meeting of the directors of the Harry Smith mine was held here to-day, when the fifth dividend of 3d per share was declared, amounting to £2200. The mine has suspended operations again for want of water, putting several men out of employment. The new gold reef recently found three miles north of the Harry Smith claim by a party kangarooing looks remarkably well. The reef is now 9ft. deep from the surface, and is 15in. wide. It appears widening as it goes down. The yield is expected to go between 2oz. and 3oz. to the ton. Specimens brought to town are heavily charged. Gold could be seen with the naked eye. A sixth share in this claim has been bought for £100, and other shares are freely disposed of. There is quite a rush in the vicinity of this mine by local townspeople. The weather is very dry, and rain is badly wanted for mining operations.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

The Homebound Bound cleaned up to-day at Channon's mill 91 tons for 123oz. 7dwt. There is a large quantity of concentrates, from which a good yield is expected. The Welcome Stranger started at the same mill.

The weather is very hot, dry, and windy.

RETURNS.

Star of the East Company, Ballarat.—Yield, 301oz. gold.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

New Ballarat Extended Gold-mining Company, October 8.—The shaft has been cut down 14ft., total 801ft. from surface. We have 9ft. more to complete the third compartment and about 113ft. to timber also 800ft. of the shaft to skid.

New Crown of Peak Hill Gold-mining Company, October 12.—Mine: The contractors for new shaft have sunk 10ft. for the week, or 250ft. from surface. There is nothing fresh to report from other portions of the mine. The tributors working as usual. Battery: Crushed 180 tons from quartzite lode, Great Eastern Company, for a payable return.

Mount Allen Gold-mining Company, October 12.—Battery ran 150 hours, crushing 145 tons; in addition 12 tons have been crushed from Saturday to clean up on Monday, making a total of 542 tons. Stone obtained from 100ft. level east lode, west lode, and open cutting. During the week the contractors at the 150ft. level extended the crosscut 8ft., total from shaft 9ft.; country blue slate, intermixed with iron pyrites veins. Stopes without change; preparing to fill the stope on east lode with mullock.

OPENING OF A FEMALE RECHABITE TENT AT BALMAIN.

In the Balmain United Methodist Free Church Hall, Elliott-street, on Wednesday evening, a pleasing ceremony was carried out on the occasion of the opening of a female Rechabite Tent. Mr. Wm. Weir, district chief ruler, occupied the chair. The following was the result of the first election of office-bearers:—Chief-ruler, Sis. Grace Craig; deputy-ruler, Sis. Mrs. J. M. Agnew; secretary, Sis. Rhoda E. Reeks; treasurer, Sis. Mrs. Robert Davis; money steward, Sis. Ernestine C. J. Williams; book steward, Sis. Elizabeth A. M'Gregor; levite, Sis. Ruby G. Graeme; guardian, Sis. Edith Milham; past chief ruler, Sis. Gertrude Roberts. On the motion of Sis. Rhoda E. Reeks, Bro. James Martin Agnew was appointed Tent representative to the district council.

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OFFICES: 4 and 5 NORWICH-CHAMBERS, HUNTER-STREET, SYDNEY.

This Company is being formed for the purpose of acquiring the Land, Orchards, Buildings, Fruit-canning Plant, Machinery, Sawmill, and about 1250 Acres of Freehold Land (a large portion of which is cleared and cultivated), Fences, Bridges, Water Tanks, and everything in and upon the orchard site at Burrawong, Cumnock, via Molong, N.S.W., for the purpose of Cultivating Fruit and Nuts, to carry on the business of Fruit-canning of all kinds suitable for the purpose, such as Apricots, Peaches, Bartlett, and other Pears, Plums, Cherries, Figs, and Muscat Grapes; also to convert that which is unsuitable for canning into Jams, Jellies, and Conserves, to Dry and Cure Prunes, Apricots, Peaches, Apples, Pears, Figs, and Grapes.

To grow for MARKET, Almonds, Walnuts, Chestnuts, Filberts, or any other Edible Nuts. The present orchards were commenced in 1887. Fruit Trees of the abovenamed kinds have been planted each year until there are now between thirty and forty thousand trees planted and in vigorous growth.

For the last five years the orchards have been laid out and planted with a view to forming a large Canning and Drying Establishment, and the trees first planted are commencing to bear good crops of fruit, and will increase largely every year until the whole is in full bearing.

It is intended also to pack and send large quantities of apples, pears, and other fruit to England; and as they will be ready for gathering two or three weeks earlier than the Hobart fruit, it is anticipated that good prices will be obtained, as the soil and climate are eminently adapted for their growth.

As the nature of the soil, elevation, and aspect for the growth of superior fruit is of the greatest importance, this matter has been carefully and fully attended to, as the orchards are planted upon a limestone formation, and the soil is alluvial.

The aspect of the orchards is easterly, as a range of hills several hundreds of feet in height runs along the whole length of the western side, and conical hills and ridges on the eastern side, the orchard being planted in the slopes and valleys between them.

The elevation is about 1700 feet above sea-level, and from May to September sharp frosts occur, which are very beneficial to the deciduous fruit trees. They thus obtain perfect rest for four months, and insect-growth is checked; at the same time the trees having had proper rest are healthy and capable of bearing good fruit.

A Creek runs through the property, with a never-failing supply of water, which can be pumped up for the purpose of irrigation, if required; but as the rainfall is generally sufficient, being about 30in. per annum, water would not be required, unless in exceptional drought, still it would be advisable to have the command of the water, to be used only when necessary. Even during the late severe drought no loss of trees has occurred, owing to the retentive nature of the soil and the numerous springs dispersed about the property.

There is a convenient and substantially-built Homestead, containing 13 rooms, with kitchen, scullery, laundry, &c;

A Dairy, fitted up with white marble	Sawmill complete
Office and Store	Chaff and Corn Houses
Stabling for 20 Horses, and Harness-room	4 Hay Sheds and 3 Bridges
3 Granaries	1 Overseer's House
Fruit-room and Packing Sheds	Men's Quarters, containing 20 rooms
Butcher's Shop	4 Family Houses
Cart Sheds and Houses for Vehicles	A large quantity of Carts and other Vehicles
Smith and Wheelwright's Shops and Forge	Farming Implements and Tools
Canning Factory complete, and Tin Canmaking Machinery	Stock, consisting of Horses and Cattle.

The BUILDINGS, MACHINERY, &c., have been valued by Messrs. Alex. Kethel and Henry Hudson, and their valuation amounts to	£11,487 12 0
The TREES in Orchards have been valued by Mr. J. Gelding, the well-known nurseryman, at	5,436 2 0
The GROUND is valued as follows:—	
850 Acres Freehold Land, cleared and ready for cultivation, at £5	4,250 0 0
400 Acres, partly cleared, at £2 10s	1,000 0 0
The Agricultural and other Implements, Carts, Horses, Cattle, Harness, Vehicles, Stores, Tools, together with additional trees planted since the date of the valuation in February last, have not been taken into account by the Valuators, but these will be valued by persons to be appointed by the Company, and amount approximately to	2,786 6 0
	£25,000 0 0

As proof of his confidence in the success of the Company, the present owner, although he has expended such a large amount, is willing to take paid-up shares for the whole of the purchase money, and upon their allotment will transfer all his right, title, and interest to the Company.

Fruit canning and drying, although done on a small scale up to a few years ago, and the fruit being looked upon as a luxury, has by the enterprise of the Americans in California, where they have many thousand acres of large orchards planted expressly for the purpose of canning and drying, made the production a wholesome delicate necessary of life instead of a luxury, and the enormous trade done in supplying the Eastern States and Europe testify to the great success of the business, and the general demand and usefulness of the product.

The locality in which the Burrawong orchards are situated, being in a rich limestone formation with an excellent aspect and elevation, renders the position eminently adapted to the growth of fruit, as enumerated, and there are not many districts in New South Wales so suitable in all respects.

As the fruit will be grown upon the land of the Company, and on such an extensive scale, it will be gathered in the morning, and without packing or bruising be conveyed to the factory, and there canned fresh and with the bloom on it, thereby assuring the quality and flavour to be without fault.

It is anticipated that the First Season's harvest will produce sufficient to pay maintenance expenses and probably a dividend to the Shareholders, but the Second Season should produce at least 10,000 cases of canned fruits, besides green and dried fruits, which should leave a profit of at least 8 per cent., and in the following year 10 per cent., and it is anticipated that in four years the output will reach at least 50,000 cases of canned fruit per year, besides dried fruits, jams, and green fruit, yielding a large fruit.

This fruit, as already tested, being of the finest flavour and quality, will not only sell in the colonial markets, but will successfully compete with the American canned fruits in the European markets.

In commencing a Fruit Growing and Canning Industry it must be borne in mind that it takes a considerable time before the trees when planted come into bearing, for while apricots, peaches, and plums will commence to bear fair crops in four years, cherries and almonds will require six years, apples, pears, walnuts, and chestnuts eight years, and some kinds even longer before they bear considerable crops, but when the trees are matured the orchards can be maintained in full bearing by judicious planting annually.

If a Company was started for the purpose of growing and canning fruit, it would be at least five or six years before any return could possibly be made to the Company, but as these orchards have been planted in previous years, the last seven years there are a considerable number of trees fruit bearing, and every year will double their bearing capabilities.

There are already between 30,000 and 40,000 trees planted, at from 80 to 100 trees per acre, but it is intended to continue planting judiciously every year, although it is now the largest orchard in the Southern Hemisphere.

The Company shall be deemed formed when 12,500 shares are applied for.

The whole of the money subscribed less flotation expenses will be placed to the credit of the Company.

In the event of the Company not being formed, the application money will be returned in full.

The only contract affecting the Company is one dated 18th October, 1895, between John Young of the first part, and William Arnott of the other part.

19th October, 1895.

Personal.

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ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Painless Dentistry.—A beautiful SET for one guinea. Mr. GEORGE, one of Sydney's leading Dentists, 471 Pitt-street, near Christ Church, has reduced his prices below all others.

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GEORGE REID says he is not going to destroy the Magic Cleanser, mandate or no mandate.

HARRY.—Meet me at the Cafe Francais, George-st., this afternoon, and have a glass of Dickens' Whisky.

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MICHAEL CANTWELL, formerly of Clayton, Jefferson, U.S., kindly communicate RUSSELL and RUSSELL, Solicitors, 250 George-street, Sydney. Advantage.

MEET TO-DAY at Circular Quay, at 2.45. Steamer to FLYING SQUADRON RACES at CLARK ISLAND. Ladies' Tickets, 6d.

MEMORY.—Prof. Cunninghame's Answer to malicious reports. See Educational Column. Well tested.

MONTE MEUZELL, Scientific American Phrenologist and Palmist, fees from 1s 6d. 329 Elizabeth-st.

NATIONAL Hotel, Geo.-st., next Clark's Malt Cigar Divan.—Try Apricot Brandy liqueur and bulk Whisky.

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PUDMORE, J. M., last heard of in Sydney, 1895, kindly send address or call to 95 Miller-street, Pyrmont, will hear of something to your advantage. Information thankfully received.

PAWNBROKERS' UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, bought in London specially for W. BURNETT, 51 Oxford-street, two minutes' walk from Hyde Park.—Genuine Bargains in Second-hand Jewellery, Watches, Silver Plate, &c. Diamond Rings at half their original cost.

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SCIENTIFIC PALMISTRY. Miss ST. HILL, studied in London. Predicted Archer's fate. See Illustrated Sydney News, 8th July, 1893. Late Palmistry contributor Town and Country Journal and Sunday Times. Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., fee 2s 6d. Charts from sketches sent to country, 5s. 330 Victoria-street.

LOVELY TEETH, 2s 6d each, plates included. Really very nice. Guinea sets superb. E. D. Co., 53 Geo.-st.

THE SCHOOL, Mount Victoria.—Annual Sports 9th Nov. OLD BOYS please communicate.

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WILL Mr. R. SHOREDON, of Surry Hills, kindly call Harrison and Co., 194 Castlereagh-st. Important.

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WILL Mrs. J. SOLLETT communicate with her Sister, M. L. Munro, G.P.O., Adelaide; or interview J. Herd, c.o. Fitzgerald Bros., Exhibition, Sydney.

WHILE thanking her Customers for their past patronage, Mrs. MULLAN (Dressmaker) wishes to inform them that she has REMOVED from 401 Dowling-st., Moore Park, to her late residence, 136 Underwood-st., Padd'gton.

WANTED, JOHN DECALMER, a File Cutter when he left England.—If he is still living and can be found will he kindly communicate to his mother, Mrs. DECALMER, 18 Chapel (Alma Houses), Steelhouse-lane, Birmingham. September 13, 1895.

WANTED, news of Mrs. GEORGE; last heard from her when living at Mrs. Keddie's, Woodstock, Woolwich, Hunter's Hill, Parramatta, Australia, 1889. Her aged parents would be very glad to hear news of her. Mr. W. UDEN, No. 8 Wharf-road, Wandsworth, Surrey, England.

WANTED, the Address of ARCHIBALD WRIGHT SMITH. He left Glasgow with his father for Australia about or over 40 years ago; is understood to have had a business of his own, and lived in or near Sydney. He is desired to communicate with his cousin, Janet Goodwin or Mains, who, on being convinced of his identity, has something valuable to send him. Reply to Mrs. MAINS, 5 Berlin-terrace, Pollockshields, Glasgow.

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Business Cards.

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Public Notices.

SYDNEY WOOL SALES. Sales by Auction will be held in the WOOL EXCHANGE, MACQUARIE-PLACE, next week and the ensuing Monday, as under:—

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21. 1. Dalgety and Co., Limited. 2. New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Limited.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22. 1. Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited. 2. J. C. Young and Co. 3. Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23. 1. The Pastoral Finance Association, Limited. 2. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24. 1. John Bridge and Co. 2. M'Burney, Wallis, and Co. 3. Campbell, Nimmo, and Co.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28. 1. Hill, Clark, and Co. 2. Winchcombe, Carson, and Co.

BRIQUETTES, 16s ton, 50 p.c. better than best coal for steam or domestic use, no smoke or waste; number proves full weight; kindlers gratis. European annual consumption, 12 millions stg. Patent Fuel Co., 121 Pitt-st.

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INTENDING Investors in the Federation Gold-mining and Cyanide Quartz-crushing Company, No Liability, Gundagai, N.S.W., are hereby notified, the Brokers expect to CLOSE the SHARE LIST at the end of NEXT WEEK. Prospectuses, Specimens, and Plans of Mines and Workings from the undersigned. RICKARD and DAN, Martin-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney.

THE WHITE ANT Destroyed by B. Williams, Burwood, who has good reference for this work.

JAS. H. ADGER, Dermatologist, treats successfully all diseases of the skin and scalp, loss of hair, premature blanching, and general cultivation and growth of the hair. Advice and Remedy, 10s 6d. Next Australia Hotel, Sydney.

IMPERIAL TAILORING COMPANY (J. HARRIS), next Liddy's Melbourne Club Hotel, 633 George-street, and 40 Park-street, are JUST OPENING with a Splendid Selection of the Latest Shades and Patterns in TWEEDS, SERGES, WORSTEDS, and VICUNAS, and are prepared to do a First-class Suit at 42s, a pair of Trousers at 10s 6d, in the very best cut and finish. Satisfaction assured. Gentlemen's own material made up in the most finished style. Clothes Dyed, Cleaned, Repaired, and Altered. Open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the Copartnership lately carrying on business as Coachbuilders at 189 Castlereagh-street, Sydney, has ceased to exist, and it is requested that all accounts due to the late copartnership be at once paid to the undersigned.

The Business will be carried on by the undersigned, under the name and style of Haining and Son, as heretofore.

Dated this first day of September, 1895. Witness to signatures, WM. HENDERSON, Accountant, Sydney. J. L. HAINING, J. JENNIKER.

I WILL not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted in my name in connection with my late business. AUSTEN DAVIS, King-street, Newtown. 14th October, 1895.

Lost and Found.

DON'T Throw Away Old Plated Articles. They can be made as good as new by leaving them with Holdsworth, Macpherson, and Co., George-street.

GOLD Ring, with 5 stones, between Glebe and Newtown-rd., Wednesday. Reward, Windle, 33½ Glebe-rd.

LOST, "that tired feeling" after drinking the new Apricot Brandy, at the Café Français in George-st.

LOST, the morning Headache, now that I stick to Dickens' Whisky.

LOST, Safety BROOCH, pearl and sapphire fly, betw'n Newtown and Manly. Rew., Manly Co-op. ferry.

LOST, between Macleay-st. and D'hurst-rd., Lady's Gold ALBERT. Mrs. Kingsmill Shaw, St. James-chamb.

LOST, Gold Cable BRACELET in William-st. Reward at 160 William-st.

LOST, an UMBRELLA, Thursday evening, Centenary Hall, York-street. Rockwall, Potts Point.

LOST, from Ashfield, Steel-grey PONY, 20 over—on ribs; good reward. 78 Park-avenue, Ashfield.

LOST, Brown Pointer Slut PUP, reward. Apply Stratmore, Glebe-st.

LOST, Friday, black and tan COLLIE, white chest, losing coat; answers to Nell; reward on delivery. Selby House, 19 Point Piper-road, Woollahra.

REWARD.—Lost, Gold Cable Bracelet, bet Elizabeth and Windsor sts., Pad. Aaron's Exchange Hotel.

REWARD, 10s.—Lost, Red Military Coat, Saturday, in tram. 27 Cleveland-st., Darlington, nr. Newtown-rd.

REWARD, 10s.—LOST, from Kingsgrove, roan bald-faced Bullock, tarred both hips. W. H. Pearse, Bexley.

STRAYED from Mosman, Roan MARE, branded near shoulder, hind leg white, reward offered. R. LOVELL, Bond-st., Mosman.

FOUND, that at Power's Hotel Dickens' Whisky and Sloe Gin (a novelty in liqueurs) is obtainable.

FOUND on Thursday, large Black-and-tan curly DOG. 91 Bathurst-st.

THE MAGIC CLEANSER for Saturday night's scrub and Monday morning's wash.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from Emslee, Mansfield-street, Glebe Point, a Fox-terrier DOG, hind legs bent, black mark over ears. Anyone detaining the above will be prosecuted.

STRAYED from paddock, Strathfield, late on Friday evening, one Chestnut HORSE, with silver tail; also, one Brown PONY, with black points. Mr. Allen, of Brunyarra, Boulevard, Strathfield, will be glad of any information enabling him to ascertain their whereabouts. Reward to any person returning them to Brunyarra this morning.

FOUND, Brown-white Collie DOG. Owner can have by paying ex. F. Lee, opp. Town Hall, Oxford-st., Pad.

For Sale.

FOR PRIVATE SALE—BARGAINS. 500 Old STEEL TIRES. Number Old SPRINGS and AXLES. Lot Old IRON and STEEL. S. T. and Q. CO., Glebe Factory.

TICKETS.—Brisbane, 8s; Newcastle, 1st, 8s 6d; Auckland, Dunedin, Hobart, Albury, 1st, Singleton, London, £13. Tickets bought, sold, exchanged. FIRKINS, 135 King-st., over F.F. Ice Co. fish shop (late Cas'ragh-st.).

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FOR SALE, good ICE CHEST, cheap. 211 George-st. North.

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BAKERS.—Hops, Malt, Molasses, Cream of Tartar &c., cheapest. A. Rickard, 72 Pitt-st.

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TANKS.—100, 200, and 400 gallons Ships' Iron Water TANKS. Hodge and Zlotkowski, 112 Sussex-st.

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FOR SALE, Cooking STOVES, £2 15s upwards, heaviest in Sydney. Ward's Showrooms, 393 Pitt-st.

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STOVES that cost less for fuel than any others. Ward's Showrooms, 393 Pitt-st.

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WANTED to Sell Raleigh Paragon Gas STOVE, cheap. Apply Mr. Gidley, Ashfield.

TICKETS.—Passenger Tickets Supply Agency, of 74 Castlereagh-st., have REMOVED to 135 King-st.

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GAS STOVE (Raleigh's), equal new, late improvement, 35s. Smith, Harland and Queen sts., Ashfield.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate or being otherwise interested therein are required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before the 6th day of November, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and, if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise, if the said accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this eighteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Deputy Registrar.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANN HARRISON, late of St. Joseph's Providence, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, widow, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to Sir PATRICK JENNINGS, K.C.M.G., the Executor named in the said Will. T. M. SLATTERY, Proctor for the Applicant, London Bank-chambers, Pitt and Market streets, Sydney.

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UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY. An EXAMINATION of Candidates for the Civil Service will be held at the University on MONDAY, the 4th day of November, at 9.30 a.m.

Candidates' Forms of Application, which may be obtained at the University, must be sent to the Registrar not later than TUESDAY, the 22nd of October.

A LAW MATRICULATION EXAMINATION will commence on MONDAY, the 4th day of November. Candidates for this Examination are required to pay their Fees to the Prothonotary of the Supreme Court not later than Saturday, the 26th day of October. H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY. The SENIOR PUBLIC EXAMINATION will commence on MONDAY, the 18th of November.

The EXAMINATION for MATRICULATION SCHOLARSHIPS and HONOURS for Candidates intending to enter the University in March, 1896, will commence on the same date, and will be held concurrently with the Senior Public Examination.

Candidates' Forms of application, which may be obtained at the University, must be sent to the Registrar so as to reach him not later than SATURDAY, the 26th of October.

Proposal Forms for Committees to superintend the holding of these Examinations at local centres may be obtained at the University, and must be returned, duly signed, not later than WEDNESDAY, the 9th of October. H. E. BARFF, Registrar. September 7, 1895.

Meetings.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND. The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Subscribers and Friends will be held at the Institution, Newtown-road, on MONDAY, 21st instant, at 3 p.m. The Hon. Sir ARTHUR RENWICK, President of the Institution, will preside. The public are cordially invited. ELLIS ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary. Sydney, October 3, 1895.

UNION RECREATION CLUB, Limited. Club Rooms and Grounds, Strathfield.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual MEETING of Members will be held at the Club, on THURSDAY, the 31st instant, at 8 p.m., to receive the Fourteenth Annual Report; elect Committee and Office-bearers; and transact such other business as may be brought forward in accordance with the rules.

Immediately after the Annual Meeting a Special General MEETING of Members will be held for the purpose of altering the rules of the Club with regard to the admission of visitors as honorary members. CHRIS. LITTLE, Hon. Sec. Box 676, G.P.O., Sydney, 1st October, 1895.

THE ITALIAN RESIDENTS OF SYDNEY are requested to attend a GENERAL MEETING, on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at 8 o'clock p.m., sharp, at the Metropolitan Hotel, King and Castlereagh streets, to make FINAL ARRANGEMENTS for the RECEPTION of the ITALIAN MAN-OF-WAR CRISTOFORO COLOMBO. The Secretary, A. FERRARI.

A MASS MEETING of Public Servants will be held at an early date to consider the provisions of the Public Service Bill now before Parliament, especially in regard to the clauses dealing with contributors to the Superannuation Fund.

A MEETING of the Provisional Committee will be held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel, on MONDAY AFTERNOON Next, at 4.30 p.m., when representatives from all Departments are invited to attend.

THE LABOUR HOME. The Fourth Annual MEETING of Subscribers and Friends will be held at the Institution, 557 Harris-street, Ultimo, on MONDAY, 21st instant, at 4 p.m. His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Frederick Darley, will preside. The public are cordially invited. Oct. 18. CHARLES J. K. UHR, Hon. Secretary.

HEBREWS.—Next MEETING for Hebrews in Hall adjoining Synagogue, Sat., Oct. 26, 8 p.m. All welcome.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' HOSPITAL SUNDAY DEMONSTRATION.—Martin Luther Lodge No. 2, P. A. F. S. of A.—The officers and members of above Lodge are requested to meet at Harris-street on Sunday next, 20th instant, at 1.45 p.m., to take part in procession. JOHN LAWLER, W.M.; A. L. GILES, Sec.

COURT ROYAL OAK A.O.F.—Members are requested to meet at Royal Standard Theatre at 1 p.m. TO-MORROW (Sunday). G. E. STROUD, Sec.

THE IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS are requested to assemble on the Railway Bridge, Regent-street, at 1.45 p.m. TO-MORROW (Hospital Sunday). J. SHEEHY, S. Gen. Sec.

COURT ROYAL STANDARD, O.F.F., HOSPITAL SUNDAY.—MEMBERS are requested to meet at the Royal Standard Theatre TO-MORROW, at 1 o'clock sharp, regalia. J. K. WILSON, C.R.; GEO. HAWK, Sec.

DRUIDS.—Iron Duke Lodge.—The OFFICERS and MEMBERS please MEET Regent and George streets West, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock sharp, to take part in HOSPITAL SUNDAY PARADE.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY DEMONSTRATION. A.H.C. GUILD. MEMBERS are requested to MEET at Technological Museum on SUNDAY, at 1.30 p.m. sharp. T. J. LARKIN, Warden General.

HIBERNIAN A. C. B. SOCIETY. The MEMBERS of the City and Suburban BRANCHES of the above Society, also the Members of the HIBERNIAN BAND, are requested to meet at St. Benedict's Hall, on SUNDAY NEXT, at 1.30 p.m., to join in the Hospital Sunday Procession. J. DWYER, Secretary.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY. Officers and Members of Boadicea Lodge, 36, U.A.O.D., intending to take part in Procession are requested to MEET at Turon Hotel, opp. Railway station, at 1.45 p.m. sharp. WILLIAM H. SHERINGTON, Arch Druid; ALFRED L. FIELD, Secretary.

MANCHESTER UNITY, I.O.O.F.—The Members of the above Order are earnestly requested to assemble at the corner of George and Harris streets, TO-MORROW, Sunday, at 1.30 o'clock p.m., to take part in Hospital Sunday Demonstration. By order. MATTHEW FRIDEAUX, Grand Secretary.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS, SYDNEY DISTRICT. Officers and Members of this Order are invited to take part in the PROCESSION TO-MORROW, HOSPITAL SUNDAY. Members will please meet at the corner of George and Harris streets at 1.30 p.m. sharp. Brother James Cope will act as Marshal. J. J. HALL, D.C.R. T. J. THOMPSON, D.S. W. O. FOX, D.S.

ORDER OF ROYAL FORESTERS.—Hospital Sunday.—Members are requested to Meet at the Hall, Castlereagh-street, at 1 o'clock on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, to take part in the procession. Jno. Hampton, S. Secretary.

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA, Grand Council N.S.W.—Officers and Members of the above Society, City and Suburban Lodges, are respectfully requested to attend FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' HOSPITAL DEMONSTRATION on SUNDAY, 20th instant. Assemble at 1.45 p.m., Harris-street, near Technological Museum, and take part in the Procession to Outer Domain. By order, JOHN SALMON, W.G. Master. T. J. IREDALE, Grand Secretary.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS. GRAND LODGE OF NEW SOUTH WALES. HOSPITAL SUNDAY DEMONSTRATION of 1895. All LODGES desirous of taking part in the above Demonstration are hereby informed that the requisite permission for the use of the Regalia in public has been authorised. FRANK LOVITT, Grand President. THOMAS J. CUMMINS, Grand Secretary.

DRUIDS.—Stonehenge Lodge Members Meet in Harris-st., Procession To-mor., 1.30 p.m. J. Williams, Sec.

THE COLONIAL SUGAR-REFINING COMPANY, Limited. NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on THURSDAY, 31st October, 1895, at the Company's Offices, O'Connell-street, to receive the Report of the Directors for the Half-year ended 30th September, 1895, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting. By order of the Board. EDWARD W. KNOX, General Manager. 5 O'Connell-street, Sydney, 9th October, 1895.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES. NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Proprietors will be held at the Chief Banking-house, George-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 31st day of October instant, at noon, to consider the Report of the Board of Directors to be then made; to elect a Director in the room of Charles Smith, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in the room of Frederick W. Uther and Alfred G. Milson, Esqs., who retire at this time, the latter being eligible for re-election; and to consider such other matters and things as may then be brought forward in conformity with the Deed of Settlement. By order of the Board of Directors, J. RUSSELL FRENCH, General Manager.

By the 45th Clause of the Deed of Settlement it is provided that every Proprietor who shall become a Candidate for the office of Director shall give notice thereof to the Board of Directors in writing fourteen days at the least before the day of election. Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, 4th October, 1895.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES. NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES SMITH, Esq., a duly qualified proprietor, is a CANDIDATE for the office of Director in this Bank, and has given due notice thereof in the terms of the Deed of Settlement. J. RUSSELL FRENCH, General Manager. Sydney, 18th October, 1895.

THE WARATAH COAL COMPANY, Limited. NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Exchange-corner, 63 Pitt-street, Sydney, at noon, on MONDAY, 28th October current, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report for the half-year ended 30th September last; of electing a Director in the room of W. M. Arnold, Esq., and an Auditor in the room of B. Frith, Esq., who retire by rotation, and are eligible for re-election; and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the provisions of the Company's Articles of Association. By order of the Board. WM. CLARK, Secretary. Sydney, 16th October, 1895.

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Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue unless Caveats be lodged, in Form B of the said Act, on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name of Applicant.	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. 9698. Hunter's Hill, 2 roods 35½ perches, in Madeline and Alexandra streets, adjoining the properties of Judge Manning, Mrs. Hawkins, and the Post-office grounds.	Mary Madeline d'Apice; Louis d'Apice; Joseph Bernard Murray-White	Hunter's Hill; Bourke; Sydney	Nov. 15, 1895.
No. 9699. Hunter's Hill, 3 roods 25¾ perches, in Drummoyne-street, adjoining the premises of H. C. Brookes,—is part of 18 acres granted to John Roby Hatfield.	Mary Madeline d'Apice; Louis d'Apice; Joseph Bernard Murray-White	Hunter's Hill; Bourke; Sydney	Nov. 15, 1895.
No. 9675. North Botany, 34½ perches, in Coward-street, adjoining the properties of Mrs. Clifford and the late J. S. Papps,—is lot No. 52 of Hatfield's subdivision.	Thomas Broughton	Paddington	Dec. 20, 1895.
No. 9677. Goulburn, 3 roods 6¼ perches, at the junction of Clinton and Auburne streets, adjoining the premises of the late Wm. Conolly.	William Stephen Kimpton	Victoria	Dec. 20, 1895.
No. 9693. County King, 614 acres 2 roods, on Booroowa River, parish Gunnary,—is part of 1144 acres granted to Joseph Roberts.	Thomas Hayes	Burrowa	Dec. 20, 1895.
No. 9707. Pyrmont, 3 acres 2 roods 17¾ perches,—comprising Block No. 26 of the Ultimo Estate, with a frontage to Jones, Macarthur, Darling, and William Henry streets.	John Bridge	Sydney	Dec. 20, 1895.
No. 9724. North Botany, 1 rood 34¾ perches and 1¾ perches, in John and Coward streets, adjoining properties of Sydney Burdekin and Mrs. Clifford.	Alexander Edwin Papps	Sydney	Dec. 20, 1895.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated at Sydney, this 11th day of October, 1895, at the Registrar-General's Department.

CHARLES PINHEY, Registrar-General.

(2714)

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

In the matter of the application of JOHN PLANT WRIGHT, mortgagee under memorandum of mortgage from Robert Hudson, No. 213,336, dated 20th October, 1885, over the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title, vol. 806, fol. 5.

WHEREAS the abovenamed mortgagee has made application for an Order for Foreclosure of the mortgage above referred to, accompanied by such evidence of default for six months and other facts as required by section 113 of the Real Property Act: NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the said Act, that the land comprised within the said mortgage, as hereunder particularised, is offered and will remain open for sale until the 22nd November, 1895, which date has been appointed as the time upon or after which I, the Registrar-General, will issue to the applicant an order for foreclosure, which will exclude all claim by the abovenamed mortgagor, and of any person claiming through or under him, unless in the interval a sufficient amount has been realised by the sale of such land to satisfy the principal and interest moneys due, and all costs and expenses occasioned by such proceedings, and interest up to the time of such sale.

Description of Property.	Amount to be Realised.	Last day limited for Payment.
One undivided moiety of and in 22 acres 2 roods 22½ perches, being parts of sections Nos. 1, 2, and 3 of Hudson and Wright's subdivision, situated on the Gannon's Forest-road, Hurstville, parish of St. George and county of Cumberland.	£2330, being principal and interest, together with costs and expenses, up to 26th September, 1895. Interest up to time of sale to be added.	22nd November, 1895.

A plan and further particulars may be obtained by application at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Dated at Sydney, this 11th day of October, 1895, at the Registrar-General's Department.

CHARLES PINHEY, Registrar-General.

(2713)

Department of Public Works, Sydney, October 18, 1895.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

(For Conditions see Government Gazette.)

TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 11.30 o'clock a.m. on the dates mentioned.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23.

Bridge over Storm-water Channel, Chinchen-street, Newcastle.
Construction of Wall, Broken Hill Gaol.
Special Yard, Broken Hill Gaol.
Clearing and Fencing Reservoir Site, Contract No. 8a, Armidale Water Supply.
Construction of Storm-water Channel, Double Bay Valley.
Erection of Post and Telegraph Office, Five Dock.
Additions, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Parramatta.
Supply and Delivery of Punts (2-75ft. x 20ft.) at Newcastle.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30.

Additions and Alterations to Bridge in approach to Ford's Bridge over Warrego River, road Bourke to Hungerford.
Bridge Hickey's Plains Creek, road Inverell to Wallangra.
Foot Bridge, Lewis Ponds Creek, road Swallow Creek to Ophir.
Bridge, Willandra Creek, road Hillston to Mount Hope.
Supply of 2-ton Hand Crane for Government Printing Office.
Erection of Closets, Stables, Government House.
Repairs, Painting, &c., Police Station, Stanmore.
Repairs to Post and Telegraph Office, Richmond.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6.

Bridge, Talbragar River, at Cobborah, road Cobborah to Gilgandra.
Bridge, Gurore Creek, road Moree to Mungindi.
Erection of Pavilions, Benevolent Asylum, Rookwood.
Additions, &c., Post and Telegraph Office, Marulan.
Additions, &c., Court and Watch House, Murwillumbah.

Lease of Lugano Ferry; date of Sale, 7th November.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13.

Additions and Repairs, Police Barracks and Lock-up Gaol, Hillston.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20.

Bridge, Cooradibidgee River, road Yass to Tumut.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

Bridge, Hergenhan's Creek, main South Coast road.

(2150) J. H. YOUNG.

Department of Public Works, Metropolitan Sewerage Construction Branch, Sydney, 27th September, 1895.

TENDERS will be received in the TENDER BOX, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, until 11.30 o'clock a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 23rd October, 1895, from persons willing to contract for the Construction of STORMWATER CHANNEL, DOUBLE BAY VALLEY. Plan and specification may be seen, and further particulars obtained, at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Metropolitan Sewerage Construction, 341 Pitt-street, Sydney.

(1940) J. H. YOUNG.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 11th October, 1895.

TENDERS are invited for the SUPPLY and DELIVERY at Newcastle of one or two PUNTS, about 75ft. x 20ft. Further particulars may be obtained at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief for Public Works, Phillip-street, Sydney, and at the District Engineer's Office, Newcastle. Tenders will be received up to 11.30 a.m. on the 23rd instant, and are to be addressed to the President of the Tender Board, Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Punts."

2050 J. H. YOUNG.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department, General Post Office, Sydney, 15th October, 1895.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notices inviting TENDERS for—
1. Purchase of Unclaimed Newspapers and Waste Paper.
2. Delivery of Postal Parcels in the Metropolitan Area.
3. Cartage of Telegraph Material.
Tenders will be received up to 11 a.m. on the 18th proximo, and must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney.

(2085) JOSEPH COOK.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department, General Post Office, Sydney, 15th October, 1895.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notice inviting Tenders for a Site for POST and TELEGRAPH OFFICE at Gerringong. Tenders will be received up to 11 a.m. on the 18th proximo, and must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney.

(2085) JOSEPH COOK.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 15th October, 1895.

TENDERS are invited for ADDITIONS to the School Building (Brick), SUTHERLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL. For conditions see Government Gazette. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, where tenders will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 28th OCTOBER, 1895.

2104 J. GARRARD.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 17th October, 1895.

TENDERS are invited for Painting and Repairs to the Teacher's Residence, Auburn North Public School. For conditions see Government Gazette. Specifications may be seen at the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, where tenders will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 28th OCTOBER, 1895.

2136 J. GARRARD.

Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, 341 Pitt-street, October 9, 1895.

TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned Works. For particulars see Government Gazette:—
Construction of 1545 lineal feet Relief Sewers, Marrickville-street, Redfern.
Repairs, &c., to Boiler of Locomotive at Sewage Farm, Botany.
Laying 18in. and 20in. Cast Iron and Steel Water Mains.
Construction of 1224 lineal feet Stoneware Pipe Sewers, Borough of Glebe.
Tenders close 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY, October 23.

Construction of 6635 lineal feet Stoneware Pipe Sewers, Boroughs of Newtown, Erskineville, and Alexandria.
Tenders close WEDNESDAY, October 30.
By order.

(2024) WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

QUEENSLAND.

Department of Public Lands, Brisbane, 26th August, 1895.

Attention is directed to the Proclamation published in the Government Gazette of the 24th instant, throwing open to Selection, at the Winton Land Office, on and after SATURDAY, 7th December next, about 850,000 acres of Crown Land, subdivided into Forty-six GRAZING FARMS, as follows:—Nine on Vindex Resumption, seven on Manuka, eight on Condooroo, four on Elderslie, one on Bladensburg, eleven on Sesbania, and six on Ayrshire Downs, the areas being mostly 20,000 acres, but ranging down to 2920 acres, at an annual rental of 1½d per acre. Leases of these farms will be given for a term of thirty years, improvements being protected at the end of the term.

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ALTERNATIVE TENDERS will be received at this office up to noon on TUESDAY, the 26th November, 1895, for the above contract.

They are to be addressed to "The Government Storekeeper, Fremantle," and marked outside "Tender for Coal Contract."

Printed Forms of tender, conditions of contract, and specifications may be obtained at the offices of the Government Storekeeper, Fremantle.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order of the Hon. the Colonial Treasurer

CARLTON R. FETHER, Government Storekeeper.

Government Stores Department, Fremantle, September 18th, 1895.

AND so say all of us—there is no Soap to be compared to the MAGIC CLEANSER.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 17th October, 1895.

SUPPLY OF BOATMEN'S CLOTHING.

FRESH TENDERS will be received at this Office until noon of TUESDAY, the 29th instant, for the above, for the Public Service during the year 1896.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained at the Treasury, and information at the Government Stores Department, where, also, the necessary samples may be seen.

For further particulars see Government Gazette, No. 835, of 18th October, 1895.

Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Boatmen's Clothing, 1896."

2149 G. H. REID.

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CUE CONTRACT.

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TENDERS will be received at this office up to noon on TUESDAY, the 17th December, 1895, for the above contract.

They are to be addressed to "The Hon. the Director of Public Works," and marked outside "Tender for Cue Contract."

Conditions of contract, specifications, and drawings may be seen at this office after the 1st November next, and at the Public Works Offices at Geraldton and Day Dawn on arrival of following mail. A limited number of the conditions of contract, specifications, and drawings may also thereafter be obtained, by application to this office, on payment of ten pounds per set.

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H. W. VENN, Commissioner of Railways and Director of Public Works.

Public Works Office, Perth, Western Australia, 30th August, 1895.

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Municipal Council Notices.

ABSTRACT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE BOROUGH OF MOSMAN FOR HALF-YEAR ENDING 5th AUGUST, 1895.

Dr. REVENUE.

1895.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
August 5. To General Rates					1002	19	9
Building and Miscellaneous Fees					12	3	0
Nightsoil Fees					118	17	3
Deposits on Contracts					3	0	0
Contributions					20	11	8
Government Endowment					208	9	9
Fines					1	8	0
Dr. Balance Commercial Banking Co., Ltd.:—							
General Rates Account		138	0	3			
No. 2 Account		2218	17	6			
		2356	17	9			
Less Cash in hand		3	19	0			
					2352	18	9
					3720	8	2

EXPENDITURE. Cr.

1895.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
February 4. By Balance Commercial Banking Company, Limited				1889	15	3
August 5. By Street Improvements				1188	3	11
Salaries	89	14	0			
Advertising, Rent, Commission, and Council-chambers Accounts	79	5	6			
Stamps, Petty Cash, Printing and Stationery, and Miscellaneous Accounts	46	17	9			
Tools	10	18	3			
Auditors' Fees	10	10	0			
House Garbage Removal	22	15	0			
Fire Brigades Board	19	7	8			
Works Inspection	2	0	0			
Nightsoil Removal	100	5	2			
Inspector of Nuisances	1	8	0			
Law Costs	8	17	0			
Returned Deposits	1	0	0			
Furniture	0	16	6			
Refund Rates (overpaid)	0	10	0			
Pipes	9	6	8			
Assessment	40	0	0			
Insurance	0	10	3			
Municipal Association	3	5	0			
Tree-planting	4	0	6			
Alignment Fees	33	2	6			
Interest	158	0	3			
				642	9	0
				3720	8	2

LIGHTING ACCOUNT.

Dr. 1895.	£	s.	d.
February 5. To balance Commercial Banking Company, Limited	94	1	3
August 4. Lighting Rates	245	6	10
	339	8	1

Cr. 1895.	£	s.	d.
August 5. By Street Lighting	216	0	2
Cash in Hand	0	4	3
Cr. Balance Commercial Banking Company, Limited	123	3	8
	339	8	1

I hereby certify the above accounts to be correct, and to correspond with the Books of Accounts and Vouchers and other Documents in the possession and power of the Municipal Council of Mosman.

THOS. BLADEN, Mayor.

We certify that all the Books of Accounts and Vouchers and other Documents in support thereof in the possession and power of the Municipal Council of Mosman have been exhibited to us, and that the foregoing statements correspond with such Books of Account, and the above Accounts are correct.

GEO. F. M. WITHERS, Council Clerk and Treasurer, Council-chambers, Mosman, 16th October, 1895.

HAROLD CLARKE, SAM. H. MARTIN, Auditors.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY.

NOTICE is hereby given of the intention of the Municipal District of Canterbury to BORROW, for a term of SEVEN years, at a rate of interest not exceeding 5 per cent. per annum, the sum of £9000—£7000 of which is to pay off existing loan, and £2000 to carry on permanent improvements within the municipality, the interest on which will be payable half-yearly at the Head Office of the Bank of Australasia, Sydney, and the principal at same place on the 1st January, 1903.

The security for above loan will be a mortgage on the general rates of the municipality, estimated value £1800 per annum.

BENJAMIN TAYLOR, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Canterbury, 18th October, 1895.

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THE ABOVE WILL BE FOUND A REALLY GOOD LOT, and BUYERS OF ALL CLASSES OF HORSES SHOULD NOT FAIL TO ATTEND THE SALE.

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IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE, AT BUNGARRIBEE, near BLACKTOWN, THIS DAY, OCTOBER 19.

WEAVER and PERRY have received instructions from R. Boulden, Esq., to sell by auction, as above, THIS DAY, 19th instant, at 1 o'clock sharp, the whole of his choice herd of Dairy Cattle, comprising 100 head, including milch cows, backward springers, choice dairy heifers (chiefly half-bred Jerseys), 3 pure-bred Jersey bulls; 10 horses, comprising useful saddle and harness horses, brood mares in foal to Pippin (Grand Flaneur—Cadeau), and the racehorse Marabeau, by the Barb. Also, milk cart, spring cart, milk cooler, cans, and dairy utensils, ploughs, harrows, harness, &c.

N.B.—Train leaves Sydney for Doonside at 10.15 on morning of sale, returning at 3.50 p.m. Vehicles will meet tram at Doonside to convey intending purchasers to the sale.

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DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, &c.

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Hay, straw, chaff, maize, pumpkins, potatoes.
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SALES by AUCTION will take place TO-DAY, SATURDAY, at the various Stores, at 9.30 a.m.

THIS DAY, at 2.30.

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ASHFIELD.

TUESDAY Next, October 22nd, at 11 a.m.

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At BROUGHTON, CECIL-STREET, 5 minutes station, consequent upon E. I. Stanton, Esq., leaving the colony through business engagements, of the whole of his Superior FURNITURE and House Appointments generally, including—

Best 5-frame BRUSSELS CARPET, planed to double room; very superior Ashwood Bedroom SUITE, including chest of drawers (cost £45), latest design, best workmanship; heavily Brass-mounted BEDSTEAD, with bedding, &c.; massive and heavily carved with high back of bevelled plate Walnut SIDEBOARD, cellarette, &c., &c.; magnificent Walnut and Rosewood OVERMANTELS.
Ebony-cased upright Grand Piano, by Lipp and Sohn.
☞ This instrument is one of the best in the colony.
Fine lot of Ornaments, biscuit china, &c.; Crockery and Electro-plate, by Walker and Hall; unique design of large marble Timepiece, 21 days; Venetian Mirror, with fairy lamp ornaments; Ice-chest; Mangle, in good order; and lot of Sundries.
Handsome, young St. Bernard Dog.
Aviary of Canaries and painted Finches.
And various lots too numerous to detail.

The whole will be opened to inspection on Monday, 10 to 5.

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TUESDAY 22nd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE of Superior Household Furniture and Effects at the Australia Auction Rooms, 51 Castlereagh-street, under Several Bills of Sale.

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TO THE WHOLESALE and RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS and OTHERS.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

At the ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, On TUESDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 22, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

ON ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED.

MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES, comprising,
Gent.'s Tan Calf Balmorals, leather lined, 6-10
Gent.'s Glove Kid, Hand-sewn Bals., in Derby and Oxford
Boys' and Youths' Satin Bals. and E. S., 7-10, 11-1
Ladies' and Girls' Glacé Kid Oxford Shoes, 7-10, 3-6
Ladies' Glacé E. S. Seam to Toe and Vamps., 3-6
Girls' Pat. Tie Shoes, 4-6, 7-10
Girls' Glacé Bals. and Button Boots, 7-10, 11-1
Ladies' Glacé Kid Button Boots, 3-6
Ladies' Last. E. S. Toe-cap and Seam to toe, 3-7
Ladies' Evening and Gipsy Shoes, assorted
Ladies' Real Glacé and Fancy Evening Shoes, assorted
Men's Colonial-made Bluchers and Balmorals
Boys' and Youths' Tweed and Yearling Balmorals
Ladies' Tweed Balmorals and Shoes.

Also,
AN ASSORTMENT of MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. have received instructions to hold the above Sale at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, October 22, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TERMS AT SALE.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Wholesale and Retail Drapery Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, and Others.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED.

AT THE ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET,

ON THURSDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 24, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

MAGNIFICENT CONSIGNMENT of MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOYS', and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, &c. (Original Packages), ex S.S. "Arcadia," comprising—
Men's Fancy Tweed Trousers and Trousers and Vests, 3-7
Ditto Ditto Ditto and Worsted Sac Suits, 3-6
Boys' and Youths' Tweed and Worsted Sac Suits, 10 to 3½
Men's Fancy Tweed Trousers and Vests, 3-7
Ditto Worsted Sac Coats, bound, 3-7
Ditto Blue Serge Sac Suits
Boys' Fancy Tweed Knicker and Sailor Suits
Men's Flannelette and Harvard Shirts, assorted qualities
White and Grey Calicoes
Men's White Shirts, with and without collars, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. have received instructions to hold the above sale at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY Next, October 24, at 11 o'clock sharp.

☞ THE AUCTIONEERS desire to draw the special attention of Town and Country Buyers to this important Sale, the whole being for UNRESERVED SALE.

☞ Bulk may be inspected on Wednesday Afternoon next.

To Wholesale and Retail Saddlery Warehousemen, Country Buyers, Dealers, and others.

ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE.

Under instructions from the Consignors, at THE ROOMS, 76 PITT-ST., on FRIDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 25, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

Ex "Mariposa,"
75 SETS BEST AMERICAN HARNESS, in BREAST COLLAR and COLLAR and HAMES.
2 Cases HOGSKINS, ASSORTED QUALITIES
18 dozen wood-back Body Brushes
25 pieces 17lb. Saddle Serge
40 sets Bandages, 50 Fawn Rugs, 4, 5, 7 lb.
15 Race Saddles, complete
1 ton 1lb. Petroleum Jelly, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above, at their ROOMS, 76 PITT-ST., on FRIDAY NEXT, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock sharp.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

STRATHFIELD.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, at 11 o'clock.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of SUPERIOR HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE and Effects, under favoured instructions from Mr. F. J. BRIDGES, WOODWARD-AVENUE, off Boulevard, who has permanently removed to another colony, and has given imperative instructions for everything to be sold ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

BEST GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE
SOLID WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITE in leather
MASSIVE CARVED SIDEBOARD, with bevel plate-glass back, with dome top, &c.
8ft. EXTENDING DINING TABLE, with spare leaves
CEDAR BOOKCASE, with cupboards below
ELEGANT RUSH OCCASIONAL CHAIRS and TABLES
LUXURIOUS LOUNGE, EASY CHAIRS, and COUCHES
SUPERIOR WALNUT OVERMANTELS, with bevel plates, brackets, &c., &c.

MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, by G. SIMON, on LIPP system.
☞ This is one of the very finest instruments which have yet come under our notice, and equal to any of the best German makers, and should be heard to be appreciated.

BRUSSELS CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, CURTAINS and POLES
Quantity of Bed and Table Linen
VERY SUPERIOR LIGHT and DARK WOOD BEDROOM SUITE, comprising Wardrobe with bevel plate-glass door, drawers, cupboards, &c.; Chest of Drawers, Toilet with hanging bevel mirror, high tile-back marble-top Washstand with ped. cupboard and towel rail
MASSIVE BLACK NICKEL DOUBLE BEDSTEAD, with superior horsehair Bedding
Single Ash Suites, Chest of Drawers
Tables, Linen Presses, &c., &c.
SUPERIOR SINGLE BLACK-AND-BRASS HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, with best hair Bedding
SOLID WALNUT HALL STAND with bevel mirror
Breakfast-room Table, superior Austrian Chairs
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY FURNITURE and UTENSILS, GAS STOVE, ICE CHEST, and numerous other Effects.

H. Y. NORTON has been favoured with instructions from Mr. BRIDGES to sell the whole of his SUPERIOR FURNITURE and Effects, by auction, on FRIDAY, 25th, at 11 o'clock.

** CATALOGUES IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

** ON VIEW THURSDAY, 24th, from 10 till 5.

The HOUSE is to LET, or for PRIVATE SALE. Particulars from AUCTIONEERS, 161 Pitt-street, near G.P.O.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, the Trade, &c.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1895, at 11 a.m.,

AT 395 PITT-STREET (near Liverpool-street).

IMPORTANT AND UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Removed from Nelson's Bay-road, Bronte.

VERY ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, on Nickel-mounted Bamboo Frames in Genoa Velvet.

CHOICE DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS.
SUBSTANTIAL DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, including—
Extens. Dining Table, Austr. Suite, Overmantel, &c.
SITTING AND SMOKING ROOM FURNITURE.
Very Superior Linoleum, Carpets, Rugs, &c.
HALL AND GARDEN STATUARY.

The Furniture of SEVERAL SINGLE AND DOUBLE BEDROOMS. KITCHEN FURNITURE, and LOT OF USEFUL SUNDRIES.

H. W. BROOK and CO. have received instructions to sell, as above, at their Rooms, 395 PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, 21st OCT., at 11 a.m., WITHOUT RESERVE. ON VIEW TO-DAY.

DEMOLITION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS, Riley and Arthur streets, Surry Hills.

JAMES COWAN (266 Pitt-street) has been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, on MONDAY, the 21st instant, at 11 a.m.
Choice lot of building materials, in an excellent state of preservation, consisting of doors, frames, joists, rafters, sashes, flooring, lining, and weatherboards, in lots to suit purchasers, galvanised iron, sundries, &c.

N.B.—The above are a really good lot, and are well worthy of the attention of buyers.

Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

Telephone, 139. G.P.O. Box 289.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.

W. J. MOXHAM AND CO., COMMERCIAL AUCTIONEERS.
Lumber, Doors, Machinery, Ironmongery, Groceries, and General Merchandise. Sales conducted on Importers' Premises, or, at our COMMERCIAL SALEROOMS, 19 YORK-STREET, WYNYARD-SQUARE.
Valuations carefully estimated.
Consignments received either for Private or Auction Sale.

FURNITURE AUCTION SALES.

NEUTRAL BAY.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 11 o'clock, on the Premises, No. 2 Undercliff-street, Neutral Bay.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS comprising
Dining Table, Carpets, Austrian Chairs, Oilcloth, Pictures, Ornaments, Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, and Sundries.

NORTH SYDNEY.
WEDNESDAY (Next), October 23, at 11 o'clock, on the Premises, ADELONG COTTAGE, NORTH SYDNEY-ROAD (nearly opposite Cottage Hospital).
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Choice Drawing-room Suite, 6 pieces, almost new; Handsome Overmantel, Whatnot, Work Table, Pictures, Dining Table, Austrian Chairs, Bedsteads, Toilet Pair, Washstands and Ware, Linoleum, and Sundries.

M'INTYRE and HORNING, Auctioneers, Wood's-chambers, 5 Moore-street, city; Exchange-buildings, Walker-street, North Sydney.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS, CASH.

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, 3 o'clock. FOR ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE. Splendid lot of Furniture and Household Appointments. Spartan Stove, Eureka and Paragon Gas Stoves, sent in from Ashfield and Homebush.
STRONGMAN and WATSON, Auctioneers and Agents for Owners. Salerooms—Burwood Station.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 2.30 o'clock, at 35 Glebe-road, Glebe.

J. BROWN and CO. will sell by auction, Oilcloth, Tables, Chairs, Washstands, Duchesse Tables, Mats, Overmantels, Austrian Suite, Sideboards, Gent. Drawers, Bedstead and Bedding, Dining, Drawing, and Bedroom Suites, Glass, China, Wardrobe, Carpet, Stove, Whatnot, and all requisites for furnishing.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 3 p.m.

EVANS and CO. will sell by public auction at 156 Enmore-road, Enmore—Bedroom suites, drawing-room suite, sideboards, combinations, Eugene couch, carpets, crockery, cutlery, bedsteads, d.-room suite, table, g. stove, cots, kit. utensils, &c. Clean lot. Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.

J. GIDLEY FLEMING and SON sell by auction, on the Premises, No. 6 High-street, off Glen Piper-road, Paddington, Bedsteads and bedding, couch, chairs, tables, washstands, chests drawers, sideboards, oilcloth, crockery, overmantel, g'ware, cutlery, cooking utns., &c.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd, AT THE CITY MART, AT 11.30, SHARP.

AUCTION SALE OF INDIAN AND CEYLON TEAS.

The catalogue will comprise Messrs. PARBURY, HENTY, and CO.'S shipments of
553 CHESTS and HALF-CHESTS CHOICE INDIAN PEKOES, BROKEN PEKOES, and SUNDRIES, Ex Booldana and Clitus, and
Messrs. FRASER, RAMSAY, and CO.'S consignments of
149 PACKAGES CHOICEST CEYLON TEAS, Ex Oruba, Ballaarat, and Cusco.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Musters on View.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
Chilian Barque PISAGUA, 622 tons register, WITH ALL GEAR, APPAREL, AND BELONGINGS, as she lies in JOHNSTON'S BAY, where inspection must be made.
On Account of Whom It May Concern.
By order of J. H. AMORA, Esq., Consul for Chili.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above, the Chilian Barque, PISAGUA, with all gear, &c.
This vessel was built in Italy of best oak. Inventory being prepared. Particulars at Sale.

TO Merchants and Dealers.—GOODS of all description received for disposal by auction and privately. No storage charged. CHAS. MOSSMAN and CO., Pioneer Salerooms, Darling-street, Balmain.

PADDINGTON.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

MOST IMPORTANT AND HIGHLY-ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION at "HAROLDEEN," LIVERPOOL-STREET, PADDINGTON, NEAR GLENMORE-ROAD, under instructions from I. M. BARNARD, ESQ., in consequence of HIS DEPARTURE FOR VICTORIA.

The whole of his VERY SUPERIOR MODERN ENGLISH FURNITURE and ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS, including GLASS, CHINA, AND ELECTROPLATE, STERLING SILVER.

MAGNIFICENT HALL STAND IN SOLID WALNUT, very boldly designed, fitted with bevelled-edged centre mirror, marble top and tiled back, together with two very massive hall chairs, en suite.

MASSIVE WALNUT DINING-ROOM FURNITURE of VERY SUPERIOR MANUFACTURE, including
WALNUT OVERMANTEL of very superior design, fitted with numerous bevelled-edged mirrors and side galleries
SOLID WALNUT TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, extending 8ft., with spare leaves and patent screw
WALNUT SIDEBOARD of very superior manufacture and fine design, with lofty back fitted with bevelled-edged plateglass mirrors, carved panels and back, the lower part arranged with enclosed cupboards, cellarette, and drawers, size 8ft.
WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITE, with frames richly carved and upholstered in maroon morocco leather, consisting of couch, large armchair, six chairs with stuffed backs, and carver's chair
VERY HANDSOME DINNER WAGGON, in walnut, with lofty back, fitted with bevelled-edged mirrors and side shelves, arranged with enclosed cupboards, and relieved with finely-executed carvings of Australian Native Flora.

MASSIVE AND VERY HANDSOME BLACK MARBLE CLOCK, with verde bronze enrichments, strikes the hours and half-hours, and highly recommended as a correct timekeeper.

BRUSSELS CARPETS OF BEST QUALITY, in fine preservation.

ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS, including ARTISTICALLY-ARRANGED DRAPERIES and WINDOW CURTAINS.
HANDSOME WALNUT OVERMANTEL, of very superior quality, with double bevelled-edged centre mirror, side galleries, and numerous smaller bevelled-edged mirrors.
TWO VERY FINE FIGURES, "ANTONY and CLEOPATRA," in exquisite biscuit ware, very richly draped, delicately tinted and embellished in hand-paintings.
TWO EXQUISITE DOULTON COVERED VASES, with profuse decoration of flowers and foliage, exquisitely painted.

WHITE ENAMELLED and GOLD RATTAN SUITE of Elegant Settee and variously shaped Chairs, with cushions, in different coloured silk plush.

MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in superb ebonised case, by the world-renowned makers, Richard Lipp and Sohn, Stuttgart.
** THIS REMARKABLY FINE INSTRUMENT can be most highly recommended. It is a full-sized upright grand, with all the most modern improvements, possesses all the most desired qualities of tone, touch, and resonance, and has been in use under two years. (Specially imported for Mr. Barnard at a cost of NINETY GUINEAS.)

MAHOGANY and MARQUETERIE INLAID Chairs, upholstered in Genoa Velvet.

VALUABLE WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS.
ENAMELLED PIANO-BACK CABINET, Whatnots, Brackets, Bageres, Jardinieres Stands.

CHOICE BUDA PESTH and BISCUIT Vases, Figures, and Ornaments.

FINELY MODELLED BRONZED GROUP, "THE MUSICIANS," on Ebony fuse, and Surmounting Plush Pedestal.

MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM FURNITURE, comprising,
VERY HANDSOME WALNUT OVERMANTEL, in richly carved frame, fitted with numerous bevelled-edged mirrors and side galleries.
LARGE AND VERY HANDSOME BEDROOM SUITE FURNITURE, specially manufactured in American walnut, consisting of MAGNIFICENT WARDROBE designed with two bevelled-edged plateglass doors enclosing dress compartments, centre cupboard arranged with sliding trays over recess and cabinet of 4 drawers; size, 7ft. PEDESTAL DRESSING-TABLE, with large bevelled-edged swing mirror suspended between cabinets of jewel drawers, pedestals fitted with 8 drawers; size, 4ft. 6in. PEDESTAL WASHSTAND, with marble top, back fitted with bevelled-edged mirror on tiles; size, 4ft. 6in. Pedestal cupboard, towel rail and 3 chairs.
** THIS MAGNIFICENT SUITE was made specially to order, and is finished in the very finest workmanship.
SPECIALLY-MADE CHEST DRAWERS in walnut, with 4 long and 2 short drawers, with brass handles.
EXCEEDINGLY HANDSOME HALF-TESTER BEDSTEAD, 6ft. x 5ft., with EXTENDED FOOTRAIL in ENAMELLED BLACK and POLISHED BRASS, very boldly designed, fitted with sanitary double woven wire mattress, extra quality horsehair mattress, bolster, four feather pillows, and French cretonne drapery.
** One of the finest bedsteads ever offered at auction in the colony.
CHILD'S HALF-TESTER COT, wire mattress, horsehair mattress, and feather pillow.
EUGENIE BEDROOM LOUNGE, upholstered in French cretonne.
PLATFORM ROCKING CHAIR in bleached wicker, with French cretonne seat.

SUPERIOR FURNITURE OF OTHER BEDROOMS. WALNUT AND ASH BEDROOM SUITES. &c., &c.

LATEST IMPROVED NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE (almost new).

TANN'S BURGLAR and FIREPROOF SAFE, with drawer (20 x 26, duplicate keys).

SUPERIOR KITCHEN FURNITURE
MEDIUM-SIZED EUREKA GAS STOVE, &c.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from I. M. BARNARD, Esq., to conduct the Important Sale by Auction at his Residence, as above, on THURSDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

On View WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, from 10 o'clock a.m.

** CATALOGUES now obtainable at the offices of the Auctioneer, 128 PITT-STREET, or will be posted on application.

AUCTIONEER'S SPECIAL NOTICE.

JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, VALUATOR, and ARBITRATOR.

VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE. INVENTORIES PREPARED.

CASH ADVANCES made against FURNITURE, PLATE, PICTURES, and GENERAL EFFECTS for Sale by Auction Without Reserve.

** SPECIAL PERSONAL ATTENTION to SALES BY AUCTION AT PRIVATE RESIDENCES. MERCHANDISE and GOODS of EVERY DESCRIPTION Received at the Rooms, 128 Pitt-street, for Sale by Auction.

JAMES R. LAWSON, Auctioneer, Valuator, and Arbitrator, 128 PITT-STREET.

ASSIGNED ESTATE of MATTHEWS BROS., GROCERS, &c., GRANVILLE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 2.30 O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, at GRANVILLE, on the Premises, near the Station, BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEE.

STOCK-IN-TRADE, PLANT, and BOOK DEBTS.
GROCERIES, IRONMONGERY
SHOP FITTINGS
BOOK DEBTS (in one lot)
GREY HARNESS PONY, CHESTNUT PONY
SADDLES, &c., &c.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been instructed by the Trustee to SELL BY AUCTION, at GRANVILLE, as above,
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 19th OCTOBER, 2.30 O'CLOCK p.m.

AUCTIONEER'S SPECIAL NOTICE.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

THE SALE BY AUCTION at The Residence of H. W. BARNETT, Esq., WANDEEN, ELIZABETH BAY, advertised to take place On TUESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, HAS BEEN POSTPONED TILL FURTHER NOTICE.

JAMES R. LAWSON, Auctioneer, 128 Pitt-street.

LOWER DOMAIN.

TUESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION at NO. 1 ST. MARY'S-TERRACE, SIR JOHN YOUNG'S-CRESCENT, Lower Domain.

Under instructions from Mrs. HAMILTON, in consequence of leaving for Calcutta.

The whole of her SUPERIOR FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, including
GLASS, CHINA, and ELECTROPLATE
FULL TELESCOPE WALNUT DINING-TABLE, of superior manufacture, extending 10ft.
Superior Austrian Chairs
MAHOGANY PEDESTAL SIDEBOARD, with plate glass back
HANDSOME BLACK MARBLE CLOCK
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered Figured Silk Tapestry
LARGE PLUSH-FRAMED PIER GLASS
Walnut Music Cabinet.

WALNUT COTTAGE PIANO by COLLARD and COLLARD, Modern Model, possessing fine rich tone.

OAK HALL STAND and HALL CHAIRS

BRUSSELS and TAPESTRY CARPETS

SUPERIOR BEDROOM FURNITURE
Beaconsfield Wardrobes, Single Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers, Combination Dressing Chests
BLACK and BRASS and BLACK and NICKEL Half-Tester Bedsteads, with Woven Wire Mattresses and best quality Bedding (double and single)
Also,
KITCHEN FURNITURE and UTENSILS
LARGE BRASS STEWPAN, &c., &c.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. HAMILTON to conduct the Important Sale by Auction, at her residence, as above, at No. 1 ST. MARY'S-TERRACE, SIR JOHN YOUNG'S-CRESCENT, LOWER DOMAIN, on TUESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, AT 11 A.M.

** On view Tuesday morning prior to Sale.

IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE. BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

IMPERATIVE SALE BY AUCTION at No. 26 PITT-STREET (near the offices of the Bulletin.)

The whole of the VERY SUPERIOR OFFICE FURNITURE, Cabinet of Drawers, Walnut Pedestal Desks, Sloping Desks, Stand Up Desks.

VERY HANDSOME LARGE CEDAR SHOW CASE, with plate-glass sliding doors, size 8ft. 6in., and SMALLER DITTO TO CORRESPOND, 3ft. 6in.

TANN'S SAFE, 21 x 13 x 12
TURNER'S PREMIER SAFE, 29 x 19 x 14
CARTER'S IMPROVED SAFE, 26 x 26 x 14.

Copying Press and Stand, Austrian Chairs, Matting, Table, Stationery, Cabinets, Stools, &c.
Also
VERY SUPERIOR PARTITIONS, forming offices, with glass panels, doors, counter, &c.
** THE PARTITIONS can be easily removed, and are panelled throughout and finished in best workmanship.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from THE TRUSTEES IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE to sell by auction as above on WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

THIS DAY, at 2.30.
UNDER BILL OF SALE.
ON THE PREMISES, 207 GOULBURN-STREET.
Drawing-room Suites, Tables, Chairs, Cedar Chest of Drawers, Marble-top Washstand, Combination Dressing Table, Sewing Machine, Double and Single Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Ornaments, Pictures, Meat Dresser, &c.

PARKER and CREAGH have received instructions to sell the above, Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.

THIS DAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK, At the BRISBANE AUCTION MART, 287 PITT-ST., TOTALLY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE EFFECTS, NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE (nearly new), Sofas, Brass M. Bedsteads, A. Chairs, Chest Drawers, Dressers, Tables, Mirrors, and a large quantity of Sundries.
LEWIS PHILLIPS will sell the above THIS DAY at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP. NO RESERVE.
OUTDOOR SALES Conducted on Reasonable Terms.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER.

SEASON'S SALE.

FAMILY and FANCY DRAPERY, CLOTHING, BOOTS, and SHOES.

JAMES RODD and CO. will hold their regular Weekly Sale at the old-established Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, OPEN and BULK ALL-ROUND STOCK, cataloged for imperative sale.

ESTATE OF W. BROWN, of George-street West, Saddler.
MONDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises, George-street West.
By order of W. H. Palmer, Esq., Official Assignee.
Stock-in-Trade of a Saddler and Harness Maker.
C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.

ESTATE of A. S. LOW, of Merrylands (Deceased).

IMPORTANT, ATTRACTIVE, and UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION OF SUPERIOR and COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS on WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m., in the ROOMS, 317 George-street (opposite the Premier Boot Company).
Under instructions from W. H. PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee.

EXTRA QUALITY ELECTROPLATE
OIL PAINTINGS, by CARSEY
TANTALUS STAND and 3 Cut Bottles
HANDSOME BRONZE BUSTS, Vases
MAGNIFICENT WATER-COLOUR PAINTING, by Raworth
LARGE ORIENTAL CARPET with BORDER, of Choice Design and Exquisite Colourings
EXCELLENT SECRETAIRE, in Best Polished MAHOGANY, with revolving front, fitted with Drawers, Cupboards, and Pigeon-holes
UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in handsome Burr Case, incised with gold, by the well-known makers, Lipp and Co. ** This is a fine instrument, and possesses all those rare qualities for which the makers are so justly renowned.
ENCLOSED OFFICE WASHSTAND
BRUSSELS CARPETS, DRUGGETS, MATTING
FULL-SIZED BILLIARD TABLE by ALCOCK, with Balls, Cues, Stands, Markers, Lights, and all other Appurtenances, complete. ** This is a splendid table, it is in perfect order, has been well cared for, and possesses all the latest improvements.
EXCELLENT HALL FURNITURE
The CONTENTS FURNISHED BEDROOMS.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, at 317 George-street, at 11 a.m.
The above.

TERMS CASH.

NO RESERVE.

CATALOGUES IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

Offices, 267 George-street.

IMPORTANT SALE OF CROWN LANDS, CONSISTING of COUNTRY LOTS in the Parish of Pitt Town, and SUBURBAN LOTS within the boundaries of Windsor.

MR. JAMES B. JOHNSTON has received instructions from the Honourable the Secretary for Lands, to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the LANDS OFFICE, WINDSOR, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of OCTOBER, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following PORTION OF CROWN LANDS:—Portions No. 183 to 190, 194 and 214 to 229, situate in the Parish of Pitt Town, county of Cumberland, these portions form part of Pitt Town Common resumed.
SUBURBAN LOTS.—Portions No. 189 to 192, 184, 208, 213, 215, 186 to 194, 211, 180 to 207, and 201 to 207.
TERMS:—Deposit 25 per cent., balance in three equal annual instalments, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

Auction Sales.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE.

MESSRS. HARRIS and ACKMAN desire to inform Ladies and Gentlemen leaving the colony and wishful to dispose of their Houses of Furniture, Families Retiring from Housekeeping, Trustees and Executors of Estates, &c., &c., that they are prepared to undertake

OUTDOOR SALES of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.
Also to PREPARE INVENTORIES and VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE, &c.,
and all business connected with that of Auctioneers, Valuators, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN,
Licensed Auctioneers and Valuators,
199 Pitt-street, Sydney.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, at 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.

25 Cases CURRANTS
12 Ditto ASSORTED JAMS
10 Casks SODA CRYSTALS
5 Bags NEW HEBRIDES NUTMEGS
75 Boxes FANCY TOILET SOAP
40 Cases WAX CANDLES, White and Yellow
5 Boxes TOBACCO
12 Cases SPHINX BRAND PRUNES
6 Cases GUAVA JELLY
3 Ditto CURRY POWDERS, 4lb. and 1lb.
7 Ditto COLOURED TEA TWINE
Barrel. BORAX SOAP, 10 and 16 oz. Bars
25 Boxes DATES
20 Cases MORTON'S JAMS
20 Ditto PICKLES
20 Ditto GINGER WINE
25 Ditto HOP BITTERS, "Dr. Soule's"
25 Ditto SPANISH CLARET, quarts and pints
25 Ditto LAGER BEER, quarts
40 Ditto WHISKY.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Hotelkeepers, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the Mart, 199 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR
COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
comprising
CEDAR and PINE CHESTS of DRAWERS,
Combination and Portable;
PAIRS OF CEDAR AND PINE TOILETS,
with Marble Tops.
HANDSOME CEDAR BOOKCASES,
Plateglass Doors, with Drawers and Cupboards;
OFFICE TABLES and DESKS, TOILET TABLES,
Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Dressers, Pine Safes,
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES,
Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers, Cedar Chiffonier Safes,
DINING TABLES,
Single and Double Washstands;
LARGE CEDAR SIDEBOARDS,
with Bevelled Plate-glass Backs, and fitted with
Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.;
PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES,
with Bevelled Plate-glass doors.

HANDSOME OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c.,
in Walnut and Black-and-Gold Frames,
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, AT 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex s.s. Port Melbourne, from London.

1168—1 CASE BICYCLES
1174-5—2 Ditto Ditto.

To Bicycle Importers, Sports Depots, Clubs, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, AT 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

1 8-HORSE POWER ENGINE,
8in. Cylinder and 8in. Stroke. Built on compact bed.

To Engineers, Contractors, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex "Gera," from Bremen.

On Account of Whom it may Concern.
With all Faults.

10 tons STEEL FENCING WIRE, No. 8
50 ditto DITTO DITTO, No. 10.

Sample Load on view at Mart.
Bulk may be inspected at Dalton's Wharf.
To Hardware Merchants, Station Agents, Ironmongers, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the Mart, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd October, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
On account of whom it may concern.
With all faults.

Ex Tam o' Shanter, from New York.

14 Bales UNION PAPER BAGS, assorted sizes
7 Cases AMERICAN CLOCKS.

Ex Menmuir, from Hongkong.

8 PACKAGES VERANDAH BLINDS.

To Grocers, Fancy and Furniture Warehousemen, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the ABOVE by AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, at 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.

10 Bales GOLD PAPER HANGINGS
10 Cases GREY TWINE
10 Gross LEAD PENCILS
30 Reams PINK BLOTTING-PAPER
1 Bale ROPING TWINE
40 Casks CEMENT
15 Dozen CLOTHESLINES
34 Packages GLASSWARE
4 Bales PRINTING PAPER
3 Cases ASSORTED BRUSHWARE
15 Cases GALVANISED CORRUGATED IRON.
Also, with all Faults,
10 Cases Galvanised Plain Iron.

To Ironmongers, Printers, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd October, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, AT 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

1 Case LADIES' BLOUSES, in Sateen, Fancy Zephyr, and Muslin
1 Case LADIES' COSTUMES, with Skirts made up
1 Case MEN'S SERGERETTE SUITS
1 Ditto MEN'S FANCY TWEED SUITS
2 Ditto MEN'S TWEED and SERGE TROUSERS
1 Ditto LADIES' CORSETS
1 Case MULLS and BISHOP'S LAWNS
2 Cases MEN'S PRINTED MOLE TROUSERS
3 Ditto MEN'S FLANNELETTE and COTTON SHIRTS

Also in open Stock—
HOSIERY, MERCERY, FELT HATS
DRESS MATERIALS, FLANNELETTES
COTTON, LAWN, and SILK HANDKERCHIEFS

OPEN STOCK of BOOTS and SHOES.

TO DRAPERS, STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, AND COUNTRY BUYERS.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE GOODS by AUCTION, at their MART, 199 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Balances of Shipments of
JAPANESE ART PRODUCTIONS, CURIOS, &c.,
comprising
Satsuma Vases, Cups, Bowls, Tea Jars, Window Curtains, Silk and Paper Fans, &c.

Also,
10 PACKAGES RATTAN FURNITURE,
consisting of
Sofas, Couches, Ladies' and Arm Chairs.

100 PACKAGES BAMBOO BLINDS.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Country Buyers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE by AUCTION, at the MART, 199 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

Terms at Sale.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.

EDWARD NEWTON
begs to remind his friends and constituents who have purchased under him for the last
TWENTY-FIVE YEARS,
AS AUCTIONEER FOR THE LATE FIRM OF BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB,
THAT A SPECIALITY OF HIS BUSINESS IS SALES AT PRIVATE RESIDENCES,
which receive his PERSONAL attention.

VALUATIONS for probate or purchase.

INVENTORIES accurately prepared.

ARBITRATIONS settled equitably.

ADDRESS, 100 PITT-STREET. TELEPHONE, 1651. BOX, POST OFFICE, NO. 946.

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON.
DURHAM ESTATE, Dulwich Hill Tramway Terminus. Splendid Building Land. Plans, &c., from
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

AUCTIONEERS' SPECIAL NOTICE.

DALWOOD AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS.

VALUATIONS for PROBATE and INVENTORIES PREPARED.

CASH ADVANCED against FURNITURE.
GENERAL MERCHANDISE RECEIVED FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO SALES BY AUCTION AT PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

DALWOOD AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, VALUATORS,
BATHURST and GEORGE STREETS.
Telephone, 1676.

THIS DAY, at 10.30.
AT OUR MART, BATHURST AND GEORGE STREETS.

2 LARGE CEDAR REVOLVING SHUTTERS, 12ft.
CEDAR COUNTERS, Window Sashes, Doors
GASALIERS and lot of Sundries.

Also,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS
GARDEN SEATS, GAS STOVES, &c.

DALWOOD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, as above.

TO PRINTERS, BOOKBINDERS, and OTHERS.
IMPORTANT AND TOTALLY UNRESERVED SALE
by Auction,
AT OUR ROOMS, BATHURST-STREET,
of
the Compact PRINTING PLANT of the Late ROBERT DOIG, of Pitt-street,
together with ANOTHER PLANT,
removed to our Rooms for Sale.
Comprising 1-2 H.P. OTTO GAS ENGINE, in good order
1½-H.P. OTTO GAS ENGINE, with all modern improvements, 2 sets of Slides, Tank, and connections complete, and is in every respect as good as new
ARAB PLATEN MACHINE, 2 sets Rollers and Moulds
PATENT CARD-PRINTING MACHINE
CROWN FOLIO LIBERTY MACHINE, Rollers, Moulds, &c.
2 PEARL FOOLSCAP MACHINES, nearly new
IMPOSING SURFACE, 28 x 40, with Stand and Furniture
LEVER GUILLOTINE, 19 x 20
NUMBERING MACHINE, five figures
WIRE-STITCHING MACHINE, self-feeder, RULE CUTTER
FITTED RULE CASE, ORNAMENTS, and BORDERS
COMBINATION BRASS RULE (in box)
GRAND LOT OF TYPE, well assorted, nearly new
GALLEYS, CHASES, QUADS, QUOINS, with keys
PRINTING INK, large Single and Double Cards
BETTING and FIELD BOOKS, and General Stationery.

DALWOOD and CO. will sell by auction the above choice Printing Plant on TUESDAY Next, October 22nd, at 11 o'clock.
Catalogues are now ready. On View Monday and morning of Sale. Telephone, 1676.

TO TAILORS, WOOLLEN MERCHANTS, &c.

On WEDNESDAY Next, 23rd inst., at 11 o'clock.

On the Premises, 819 GEORGE-STREET, near Wynyard-street.

Under Instructions from Mr. C. R. WILLS, who is relinquishing Business.

The Whole of his SUPERIOR STOCK
of
FANCY SUMMER TROUSERINGS, COATINGS,
SERGES, DIAGONALS, VICUNAS, SERGERETTES,
FANCY VESTINGS, LIVERY MATERIALS,
TRIMMINGS, GAS STOVE, IRONS, BOARDS, &c.

Also,
AT 1 O'CLOCK,

15ft. CEDAR COUNTERS (one fitted with panel doors), 3 6ft. 3in. x 4ft. 8in. SHOW MIRRORS, CEDAR PARTITION, OFFICE DESK, AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, LINOLEUM, &c.

DALWOOD and CO. have been instructed by Mr. C. R. WILLS to sell by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, as above.

NO RESERVE.

EXCEPTIONALLY VALUABLE BUILDING BLOCK.

SURRY HILLS.
108½ft. frontage to BOURKE-STREET.
130ft. 7½in. frontage to RAINFORD-STREET.
139ft. 3½in. frontage to DAVIES-STREET.
Rear line 12ft. 6in.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES (in conjunction with Raine and Horne), will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on
TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, at 11.30 A.M.,
The above described
CENTRALLY SITUATED SITE, suitable for erection of good houses, for which there is demand in the neighbourhood.

BUILDERS are advised to inspect.
The Sale is bona-fide to close a trust.

Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES and STEPHEN, Solicitors, O'Connell-street, will furnish evidence of title.

PETERSHAM.

1. KILMARNOCK, DETACHED COTTAGE of brick (cemented front) on stone, slate and iron roof, containing hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathrooms, pantry, &c., verandah front and back, the latter enclosed, gas and water, connected with sewer. Iron fencing on stone coping along street alignment. Garden front and back.
LAND, 40ft. frontage to MYRTLE-STREET, depth 120ft. LANE at rear.

2. NOVEL COTTAGE, detached, of brick, slate and iron roof, contg. hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen, washhouse and bathroom combined, verandahs front and back.
LAND, 20ft. frontage to YULE-STREET, depth 100ft.

By Order of the Curator in Intestacy, re J. Richmond, deceased.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, AT 11.30 A.M.

COOGEE.

A PICK CORNER SITE, forming lots 11, 12, 13, 14 of Thompson's Subdivision.
111½ft. frontage to BELMORE (the MAIN) ROAD.
135ft. " " MELODY-STREET.
A CHOICE POSITION, overlooking the village and ocean.

PEELWOOD, CARCOAR District.

TOWN LOTS 7 and 8, Section 6, having frontage 66ft. to GOULBURN-STREET, mean depth 117ft. 8in. lane at rear, W.B. buildings thereon.
GOOD BUSINESS SITE, convenient to the Oddfellows' Hall, hotel, and other business premises.

By Order of the Mortgagee.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, AT 11.30 A.M.

ARNCLIFFE.

A GENTEEL FAMILY RESIDENCE, containing—On GROUND FLOOR, drawing, dining, and smoke rooms, conservatory, pantry, &c. On FIRST FLOOR, 4 bedrooms and bathroom, garret over, look-out on roof. In DAYLIGHT BASEMENT, large kitchen, laundry, pantry, storeroom, and other domestic conveniences. Shedding and stabling in yard. Garden, with nicely-grown ornamental shrubs and plants. Gas, water, &c.

By order of the Curator of Intestate Estates, re R. J. Fowler, deceased.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, at 11.30 A.M.,
The above-described semi-detached, substantially-built dwelling of brick, cemented, slate and iron roof, on LAND 50ft. frontage to FOREST-ROAD, depth about 200ft.
AN ELEVATED SITE, commanding lovely views over land and seascape, about five minutes' walk from railway station.

FIXED DEPOSIT RECEIPTS.

By Order of the Curator of Intestate Estates.

Estate Frank Yeomans, deceased.

Eight (8) F. D. RECEIPTS AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK, Limited, Baggabri branch, each of (£60) Sixty Pounds, repayable on 16th June and December, in the years 1898-9, 1900-1.

Estate John Downie, deceased.

Four (4) F. D. RECEIPTS COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY, Narrandera branch, each of £71 13s., due 3rd February, 1899-1900-1901-1902.

Estate John Thomas, deceased.

Three (3) F. D. RECEIPTS, each £38
One (1) Ditto, £40 7s 4d
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Parkes branch, repayable 14th December, 1898-9, 1900-1.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

CITY PROPERTY.

CORNER of MARGARET-STREET and CLARENCE-LANE.

BY ORDER OF MORTGAGEE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 5th November, at 11.30 a.m.,
That valuable CORNER BLOCK, having frontage of 66ft. to MARGARET-STREET, by depth along CLARENCE-LANE, on which are 2 large buildings of brick on stone, cemented, known respectively as PAGE'S BOARDING-HOUSE (formerly Mercantile Marine Hotel), and No. 20 MARGARET-STREET.

NORTH CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER MINE, BROKEN HILL.

A VALUABLE PROPERTY, in area 40 acres, situate immediately north of the Central Broken Hill Company's property, adjoining BLOCK 11 of the famous PROPRIETARY COMPANY, also the CELEBRATED BLOCK 10 MINE. TITLE is the usual Mineral Lease from the Crown.

A MAIN SHAFT
has been sunk to depth of about 374ft., and
PLANT
provided NEW, with latest MODERN IMPROVEMENTS and capacity equal to requirements if shaft sunk to 2000ft., consisting of
PAIR COUPLED HORIZONTAL ENGINES, direct action cylinder 16 x 24in., driving double drums operated by clutch gearing.
DRUMS carrying round rope supplied with powerful clamps, brakes, and cage indicators.
2 CORNISH BOILERS 30ft. by 6ft. diam., fitted with feed water heater, &c., &c.

By Order of the Directors of the North Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, No Liability.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES are instructed to submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, Sydney, on
TUESDAY, 12th NOVEMBER,
at 11.30 a.m.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE MINING PROPERTY,
of which all particulars on application at the Company's Offices, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, or the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

GORDON, Brown's Estate, Next Saturday.—Get Litho and inspect this choice Estate. R. and W., Ltd.

THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON.
THE DURHAM ESTATE, DULWICH HILL,
at the Marrickville Tram Stopping-place,
Subdivided into BUSINESS SITES and VILLA BLOCKS, will be sold at Auction, on THE GROUND, at 3 o'clock THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 19th OCTOBER, 1895, by
HARDIE and GORMAN.
The views are extensive, and the Estate overlooks the Marrickville and Burwood railway line. THE BUSINESS SITES are next to the shops, which front Marrickville-road and Sefton Hall (for many years occupied by Marcus Clark, Esq.).
THE ESTATE is in the immediate neighbourhood of improved and well-tenanted properties, and close to churches, schools, and fronts the tramline.

TITLE, TORRENS ACT.
Solicitor to the Estate, R. O. Priddle, Esq., Bond-street.
Terms: 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in three months, and the balance in 1, 2, and 3 years, interest 5 per cent.
Lithographs from the Auctioneers.
HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

IN THE ESTATE of the LATE C. J. CARAHER, Esq.

Under an Order of the Court.

BLOCK OF CITY LAND, having 100ft. 4in. frontage to GLOUCESTER-STREET (east side) by a depth of 64ft. on the south side and 40ft. on the north side, the width at the rear being 90ft. 5in.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

JOHN SCANLAN, Esq., Solicitor, Elizabeth-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1895.
The above-described property in Gloucester-street.

IN THE ESTATE OF DAVID SAUL, Deceased.

LOT 1.—YORK HOUSE, Denison-street, Woollahra, for many years occupied by the late Mr. Saul; built of stone and brick, with slate roof, containing 6 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, basement, with bath; stables at rear.
The land has a frontage of 30ft. by a depth of 90ft.
Title Leasehold, 61 years to run, ground rent £4.
LOT 2.—AUBURN, Allotment 2, section 5, of the Auburn Park Estate, containing 2 acres 3 roods and 10 perches, and having 180ft. frontage to Mark-street, by a depth of 700ft. Title, Freehold.
LOT 3.—TURRAMURRA, BLOCK of LAND, having 150ft. frontage to William-street, by a depth of 148ft. along Thomas-street, being Lots 33, 34, and 35, section 2, of the Ferndale Estate. Torrens Title.
LOT 4.—GUILDFORD, BLOCK of LAND, having 290ft. frontage to Railway-road, by a depth of 176ft. along CARDIGAN-STREET on one side and BANGOR-STREET on the other side, being Lots 1 to 13 and 23 to 25, section 3, of a subdivision. Torrens Title.
Plan on view.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23.
The above-described properties.

A PICKED BUSINESS SITE AT WOLLONGONG.
Right in the Centre of the Town.

The Land has 39ft. 7in. frontage to CROWN-STREET (the main thoroughfare), close to the corner of KEIRA-STREET, by a depth of 105ft. 5in., to a 10ft. lane at the rear leading into Keira-street. This land is for sale in consequence of the demolition by the recent fire of the Shop Buildings which were on the land.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors of the late Mr. P. S. Waller to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m., on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1895,
The above-described BUSINESS SITE AT WOLLONGONG.

The large expenditure by the Government on public works, the enterprise shown in the projected Smelting Works, &c., by an English company, and the increase in the price of local products, tend to make a future both encouraging and profitable.

ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM E. CHOWNE.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEE.

MILL-STREET, PYRMONT, within the city, close to the Bridge and the Wharfs, &c.

Nos. 98 and 100 Mill-street, 2 Brick HOUSES, each 4 rooms, &c., let at 14s weekly.
No. 102 Mill-street, a large Stone and W.B. HOUSE, containing 9 rooms, &c., let at 16s weekly.

THE LAND has 46ft. frontage by depth of 83ft. to a lane. Title, leasehold; about 50 years unexpired at the low annual ground rent of £11.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the trustee in the estate of the late William E. Chowne to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCT., 1895.
The above-described property at Pyrmont, close to the shipping.

Inspection invited, as the Trustee intends Selling.

GENTLEMAN'S VILLA RESIDENCE AT LEICHHARDT.

MARGARET VILLA, fronting SHORT-STREET, just one minute from the tram, brick-built detached Villa with slate roof, containing large hall, verandah, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, 2 storerooms, pantry, cellar, laundry with copper and tubs. At the rear are stables, coachhouse, man's room, and loft, &c. There are venetian blinds throughout the villa, marble mantels, tiled hearths, electric bells; everything in first-class order. Gas and water laid on and connection with the sewer, dwarf wall and iron palisading in front, fixed wardrobes in bedrooms, and dresser, range, and serving-table in kitchen, &c., &c. Land 61 x 129.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, on NEXT WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-described cottage.
Caretaker is on the premises.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
MARRICKVILLE, Silver-street South, within 1 minute from tram stopping place and close to the post-office, BRICK HOUSE, slate roof, balcony, verandah, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. LAND, 16ft. 8in. x 100ft. to lane at rear 20ft.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on NEXT WEDNESDAY, October 23rd.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE of BUILDING MATERIALS, on the Bernefield Estate, St. Peters, comprising the following:—
LARGE 9-roomed COTTAGE of Brick and W.B., iron roof, the foundations are deep and contain a large quantity of building stone, BRICK STABLE and COACHHOUSE, with iron roof, W.B. OFFICE and long Wooden Building, with brick floor.
HARDIE and GORMAN are instructed to sell by public auction, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, on NEXT WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23.
The above. Terms, Cash.
Builders and others are specially asked to inspect as the buildings comprise some really good materials.

BURWOOD.—A desirable CORNER BLOCK of Land, 133ft. frontage to Queen-street by 150ft. along Richmond-street, being lots 4, 5, 6, 7, section 2, the Meadows Estate. Freehold Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23rd,
The above-described block of land, 10 minutes from Burwood and Croydon railway station, and near to the residences of John Dawson, Esq., and others.
Board on the land. Plan at the Rooms.

FOR POSITIVE SALE TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.
BY ORDER OF THE LIQUIDATORS OF H. P. GREGORY and CO., Limited (in Liquidation).
THE BENEFICIAL INTEREST IN THE LEASE, having 15 years to run from 1st April, 1895, at a low ground rent, with immediate possession,
of those
HIGHLY-IMPORTANT and WELL-POSITIONED BUSINESS PREMISES
known as
Nos. 161 CLARENCE-STREET and No. 300 KENT-STREET, erected in red brick in a most massive and substantial manner, built so as to defy the ravages of all time, and presenting an attractive and pleasing elevation, occupying, without a doubt, one of the very best business centres in the city of Sydney. THE CLARENCE-STREET Frontage comprises a spacious and well-lighted ground floor, with 3 upper floors, and a 7-ton lifting hoist; and the KENT-STREET Frontage comprises 5 floors, with cage lift. The whole is constructed to form one building, but can be subdivided at will if necessary.
The Ground and first floors of the Kent-street premises are let to the N.S.W. Government for 5 years from 1st January, 1895, at £300 per annum. The whole of the balance is available for early occupation.
HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Richardson and Wrench, Limited) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1895.
The above-described beneficial interest in lease of premises in Clarence and Kent-streets. THIS IS AN IMPERATIVE SALE.

Mortgagee's Sale
PYRMONT Properties.

1. Harris-street and Ada-street, Pyrmont.—Two Shops and 2 Dwellings, Nos. 393 and 395 Harris-street, 2 brick buildings, each containing shop, 4 rooms, and kitchen. Rentals, each 15s weekly.
Nos. 4 and 6 Ada-street (at rear of above), 2 Brick Houses, each containing hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen. Rentals, each 15s weekly.
Land, 34ft. to Harris-street (main business thoroughfare), 34ft. to Ada-street, by through depth of about 120ft. Title, Ultimo Estate Leasehold, 99 years from July, 1879. Annual ground rent, £28 8s, payable quarterly.

2. Nos. 480 and 480½ Harris-street, Pyrmont.—Two 2-story Brick Dwellings, each containing verandah, balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, laundry, &c. Rentals, each 18s weekly (one vacant at present).
Land, 30ft. to Harris-street, by depth of about 80ft. Title, Ultimo Estate Leasehold, 90 years from May, 1881. Annual ground rent, £28 10s, payable half-yearly.

The above being Mortgagee's Sales are worth looking up.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
NEXT WEDNESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, 1895,
The above-described properties at Pyrmont, in the best business part. Pyrmont properties are good income investments.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

LOT 1. MOORE PARK, THE MOORE PARK VIEW HOTEL, and two Residences adjoining, having frontages to DOWLING and PHELPS STREETS, and being close to Randwick-road. The buildings are erected of brick on stone foundations, and are let at £4 per week. LAND, 69ft. to DOWLING-STREET and 79ft. to PHELPS-STREET. TITLE, LEASEHOLD, having 50 years to run from April 5th, 1881, at a ground rent of £43 per annum. ALSO, at the rear, a SHOP and FOUR DWELLINGS, KNOWN AS NOS. 25, 27, 29, 30 and 32 CHAPMAN-STREET, ALL LET AND PRODUCING £163 16s per annum. LAND, 86ft. frontage to CHAPMAN-STREET by 54ft. to a lane. TITLE, LEASEHOLD, having 50 years to run from April 5th, 1881, at a ground rent of £28 10s per annum.

LOT 2. WATERLOO, adjoining the TOWN HALL, ALEXANDRIA, 18 HOUSES, nine of which front GARDEN-STREET, and nine front GERARD-STREET, all let and producing together £461 per annum. THE LAND has 121ft. frontage to GARDEN-STREET and 121ft. frontage to GERARD-STREET by a through depth of 186ft. TITLE, LEASEHOLD (part of the Waterloo Estate), having 99 years to run from April, 1883, at a ground rent of £139 3s per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6th, 1895,
The above described properties.

IT was a great day for us when MAGIC CLEANSER Soap was invented. Bridget.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2.

Important Land Sale.
COOK'S RIVER-ROAD, ST. PETERS.

The well-known BERNEFIELD ESTATE, subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Hunsted into
151 BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.
13 allotments front Cook's River-road
61 allotments front Berne-street
47 allotments front Dagmar-street
30 allotments front Bega-street.

The Bernefield Estate fronts the main Cook's River-road, St. Peters, and other wide streets, is close to the Metcalfe Estate and St. Peters Church of England.

Ten minutes from the Sydenham Junction Railway Station, and 'buses to town pass the property at frequent intervals.

The title is freehold and the terms ¼ cash, balance 1, 2, and 3 years at 6 per cent.

The Bernefield Estate is well situated, and, being under the influence of the breeze from the bay, is cool and healthy for residence.

This suburb is likely to rapidly increase in population, owing to the improvements now in operation and its convenience to the railway, and buyers now will reap all future benefits.

Remember the easy terms.

SALE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2,
on the Ground, at 3 o'clock.

Plans early.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

ASHFIELD.—DETACHED COTTAGE, known as TYRABROO, No. 21 CECIL-STREET, built of brick, stone foundation, slate and iron roof, verandah in front and at rear, and containing half hall, 5 rooms, servant's room, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, and detached washshed.
LAND has 50ft. frontage to Cecil-street, 50ft. to Orphington-street, by a through depth of 400ft. TITLE, TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1895.
The above described cottage at Ashfield, handy to the station, and close to the Ashfield Park.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
RANDWICK, opposite the Randwick Asylum.—A FAITHFULLY ERECTED BRICK-BUILT RESIDENCE, known as BARTON, situate fronting AVOCA-STREET, close to Belmore-road and the tram stopping place. THE HOUSE contains entrance hall, six large rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, pantry, all modern conveniences, and in perfect order. THE LAND has 50ft. frontage to AVOCA-STREET by a depth of 118ft. to a lane at rear. TITLE, FREEHOLD. The House, which is at present vacant, has recently been renovated throughout, and can be inspected upon application to the auctioneers at 133 Pitt-street.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1895.
The above described property.

WAVERLEY.—VACANT BUILDING SITE, corner of EVANS and BRAE STREETS, opposite residence of John M'Laughlan, Esq., M.L.A., 50ft. to Evans-street and 170ft. to Brae-street, Lot 16, Sec. 4, Lugar Brae Estate. Title, Freehold. Plan on view.
AUCTION SALE in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 6th NOVEMBER.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE DECEASED ESTATE OF WM. CAINS, Esq.,
WOOLLAHRA.

RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, known as SYDENHAM, fronting WALLIS-STREET, adjoining Ardee (Neville Griffiths, Esq.), next door but one to NELSON-STREET, and opposite the property of ex-Judge Dowling, close to the tram and omnibus routes, and in a first-class residential neighbourhood.

THE HOUSE, which is attractive in elevation, is substantially built of brick, with slate roof, and contains hall, 9 rooms, and dressing-room, kitchen, fitted pantry, washhouse, bathroom, W.C. connected with sewer, back verandah glazed. There are stabling and coachhouse, &c.
THE LAND has a frontage of 246ft. to Wallis-street, and 140ft. to a point. TITLE, TORRENS.
This property is at present occupied by Mrs. Cains, but immediate possession can be arranged for.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with E. Mansfield and Co.) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.,
ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6th, 1895,
The above-described property.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

THE MOORBANK ESTATE,

LIVERPOOL, N.S.W.,

extending back from the town of Liverpool (on the G. S. Railway, 22 miles from Sydney), and bounded on the one side by George's River,
as per Plan,
which is open for inspection at the Rooms.

The original area of the Estate, the subject of this mortgage, was 6035 acres 36 perches, or thereabouts. A large number of contracts of sale, comprising the greater portion of the Estate, have been entered into with various persons; some of these have been completed and transfers issued to the purchasers, but with the majority of purchasers the payments are not yet completed, and such contracts are still in force.
The title is under the Real Property Act.

The property will be offered for sale subject to the various reservations endorsed upon the certificate of title, registered vol. 952, folio 212, under which the property is held.

The untransferred portion of the Estate is offered for sale subject to and with the benefit of the various contracts for sale entered into with various purchasers, and with the benefit of the various balances now owing upon such contracts. A detailed list, showing the balances now owing upon such contracts, as also the original contracts, are open for inspection at the office of the Auctioneers.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1895,
The MOORBANK ESTATE, at LIVERPOOL, as before described, and as per plan, at the Rooms.
The MOORBANK ESTATE is one of the best known in the colony, and of late years has been largely developed by the opening up of roads, erection of homesteads, and cultivation of farms and orchards, for which purposes and for general settlement it is admirably adapted, being contiguous to the town of Liverpool, 22 miles from Sydney, on the main Southern line of railway, and thus available for the residences of city men, and for productive purposes. The sale by the mortgagees offers a sound field for investment of capital, as every year the settlement of population is likely to be increasing and permanent.
Plan can be seen at the Rooms.

Messrs. NORTON, SMITH, and CO., O'Connell-street, Sydney, are the Solicitors for the Mortgagees.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.
WILSHIRE'S-BUILDINGS.
GEORGE-STREET, in the City of Sydney.
The Main Artery and Commercial Thoroughfare,
situate between
BATHURST and LIVERPOOL STREETS.
On the Eastern, which is the more valuable and more thronged, side of the street, close to the Banks and other important business houses, and abutting on the site of the new Central Police Court,
A HIGHLY IMPORTANT BLOCK OF LAND,
possessing the noble frontage of
93ft. to GEORGE-STREET,
by a depth of 86ft., with right-of-way and lane at rear, upon which are erected buildings as follows:—
Nos. 624 to 634 GEORGE-STREET.
SOLICITORS for the Estate, Messrs. FISHER, RALFE, and MACANSH.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at half-past 11 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1895,
The above-described city building land and shops.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
TERMS AT SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
EDGECLIFFE-ROAD, WOOLLAHRA.
"HINEMOA," situate on the Edgecliffe-road, near Ocean-street Cable Tram Terminus, opposite "EYNESBURY," the residence of Richard Binnie, Esq., and "HILLSIDE," the property of Hon. Wm. Laidley, M.L.C.
The property is exceedingly well built of brick on stone foundations, with slate roof, and contains wide tiled entrance hall, 11 rooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, pantries, laundry, scullery, &c.
The land, which is tastefully laid out, contains an area of nearly 2¼ acres, and is held under a 99 years' lease, having about 59 years to run, subject to a ground rent of £49 per annum.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1895,
The above-described property, well known as the residence of A. W. Gillies, Esq., commanding splendid views of the harbour, and surrounded by highly improved residential properties.
Cards to view can be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

AMAROO ESTATE,
situated on the
FORBES RAILWAY LINE,
16 miles from Orange
and
Eight miles from Molong.

AREA,
6299 ACRES OF FREEHOLD AND C.P. LAND,
HIGHLY IMPROVED.

J. S. LEEDS and CO. (in conjunction with Mr. A. COULSON) have received instructions from Mr. L. T. Lloyd, Official Assignee in the Bankrupt Estate of Thomas Keenan, and on account of the Executors of the late Mrs. Mary Keenan, to
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the
ROYAL HOTEL, ORANGE,
on
MONDAY, 21st OCTOBER,
at 2 o'clock,
AMAROO ESTATE,
comprising an area of
2855 ACRES OF FREEHOLD LAND, more or less
3444 ACRES OF C.P. LAND, more or less

6299 ACRES, more or less.

The IMPROVEMENTS comprise 5-roomed COTTAGE, Out-houses, LARGE STONE STABLES and COACH-HOUSE (erected at a cost of £500), large STOCK-YARD, DRAFTING YARDS, and every convenience.
The property is divided into 10 conveniently-arranged PADDOCKS, substantially fenced with best SHEEP-PROOF FENCES, five and six wires. The whole is RING-BARKED, and about 500 acres CLEARED for cultivation, whilst at a very small outlay a large area could be cleared.
The property is abundantly WATERED by never-failing springs and creeks and four large dams.
The AMAROO RAILWAY STATION is on the boundary of this Estate, and only a quarter of a mile from the Homestead.
THIS VALUABLE PROPERTY adjoins that of the Hon. F. Jago Smith and others, and is close to the famous Gamboola Estate.
The country is all WHITE BOX and some LIMESTONE, and is RICH AGRICULTURAL and GRAZING LAND, carrying two to three sheep to the acre in all seasons.
The AMAROO RAILWAY STATION being almost on the property makes its present as well as its prospective value very great.
For plans and full information apply to the Agents,
J. S. LEEDS and CO., } Orange.
A. COULSON, }

SALE OF VACANT LANDS,
at the Rooms,
313 PITT-STREET,
MONDAY, 28th OCTOBER, 1895, at 11.30 a.m.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

AUBURN. Bellwood Estate, fronting Lang, Barker, and Stewart streets, sec. 1, lots 8, 9, 10; sec. 2, lot 6; sec. 3, lots 9 and 14. Freehold title.
FAIRFIELD. Fairfield-road, close to Thomas-street and the railway station, 100ft. frontage, with a depth of 201ft. 6in. Torrens title.
WAVERLEY. Bronte Bay-road, land 100ft. x 196ft., with w.b. stables thereon. Torrens title.
FLEMINGTON. Victoria parade, land 50ft. x 200ft. Torrens title.
GRANVILLE. John and Railway streets, corner lot, 50ft. x 200ft. Torrens title.
MERRYLANDS. High and Station streets. Land 66ft. x 330ft. Freehold title.
MARRICKVILLE. Cadogan-street. Land, 50ft. x 104ft. Torrens title.
HEATHCOTE. Illawarra-road and Numantia-road. Land 1 acre 2 roods and 22 perches. Torrens title.

WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers, 313 Pitt-street.

MORTGAGEES' SALE
of
PADDINGTON PROPERTIES.

LOT 1.
NORFOLK-STREET, Nos. 7, 9, 11, 13.—Four substantially-built two-story Brick DWELLINGS, with slate roofs, and each containing half-halls, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse, verandahs.
LAND, 60ft. frontage to Norfolk-street, with a depth of 84ft. through to a lane at the rear.

LOT 2.
GOODHOPE-STREET, Nos. 63, 65, 67.—Three two-story Brick HOUSES, slate roof, Nos. 63 and 65 each contain hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse with copper and fixed tubs, balconies. No. 67 contains 4 rooms, kitchen, balcony, and verandahs.

LOT 3.
VACANT LAND at the corner of Cambridge and Gurner streets, 17ft. frontage, with a depth of 80ft.

WATKIN and WATKIN, under instructions from the Mortgagees, will offer by auction, at their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 28th OCTOBER, 1895, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-described properties, situate at Paddington, occupying good positions, and good rent-producing property.

TITLE FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

WATERLOO.

Main Botany-road, MOORE'S LANE, opposite John-street, through to Wyndham-street.

On the Botany-road Frontages are erected 5 2-story brick Houses and 1 Cottage, each containing four rooms; on the Wyndham-street Frontage is erected a W.B. brick Cottage, containing five rooms, verandah, &c.; and on the Moore's-lane Frontage there are four brick Cottages, each two rooms and kitchen.
The land has a frontage of 90ft. to Botany-road, with a depth of 240ft. through to Wyndham-street, to which street it also has a frontage of 90ft. Title, leasehold, about 60 years to run, ground rent £15 per annum.

WATKIN and WATKIN, under instructions from the Mortgagees, will offer the above at auction, in their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, MONDAY, 28th OCTOBER, 1895, at 11.30 a.m.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

ASHFIELD, CARLISLE-STREET.
Brick COTTAGE, with tuckpointed front, and containing half-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse and copper, with fixed tubs, tiled verandah in front. Land, 33ft. frontage with a depth of 140ft. Torrens Title.

WATKIN and WATKIN will offer the above at auction, in their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 28th OCTOBER, 1895, at 11.30 a.m.

LEASES OF WHARFS.
GLADESVILLE, TENNYSON, and ERMINGTON.
As per conditions and terms set forth in Government Gazette Notice No. 2043, of 24th September, 1895. Copy on view at auctioneer's. The term of each lease is from day of sale to 31st December, 1899.
Gladesville Wharf, upset rental ... £10 per annum
Tennyson Wharf, upset rental ... £2 per annum
Ermington Wharf, upset rental ... £1 per annum.
By order of the Secretary for Lands.
AUCTION SALE at our Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd October instant, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (1317)

MACQUARIE-PLACE,
a Leading Artery of Commercial Life.

Close to
CIRCULAR QUAY, CUSTOM-HOUSE, AND THE EXCHANGE,
also to the Various Government Offices,
thus stamping it as in the very Centre of an Important Division of the City in relation to Mercantile and Financial Enterprises.

The Land has a Frontage of about 60½ft. to MACQUARIE-PLACE, with a depth on one side of about 152ft.; width at rear is about 27ft., and there are also 8½ft. frontage to a lane running between Pitt-street and Macquarie-place.
AREA IS 1 ROOD 3 PERCHES.
A Magnificent Block, in a very active viewable position, so convenient to Shipping, Commercial, Banking, and Governmental Departments.
It now returns about
£480 PER ANNUM RENTALS,
but could be treated with a Superior Style of Architecture, and made attractive to return a splendid revenue.
On the Land are
Nos. 7 and 9 MACQUARIE-PLACE,
comprising
CUSTOM-HOUSE HOTEL,
THREE-STORIED SHOP and OFFICES ADJOINING,
as also various Store Sheds, &c., at rear, occupied by the Sydney Volcanic Aerated Water Company, &c.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
TITLE IS TORRENS ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions AS ABOVE to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The foregoing, worthy the attention of capitalists, merchants, wool salesmen, financial companies, and others.
Sketch of Land on View. (1308)

LONGUEVILLE, ON LANE COVE RIVER.
A Select Marine Suburb.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

That imposing, substantial, highly-finished, and commodious RESIDENCE, with GROUNDS 1 ACRE and 12 PERCHES, having frontages to MARY, ARABELLA, and STUART STREETS, only 5 minutes' walk of the Ferry Wharf. Position is the best in this favourite district.
. This first-class property was designed and erected under Mr. ARCHITECT DENNEHY. The rooms are well proportioned, the fittings costly, and the workmanship of the whole is of the best description.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, erected of brick, front and sides tuckpointed, with white stone dressings, on rock foundation, slate roof with lookout thereon, wide verandahs and balconies, and containing reception hall (22 x 15), dining-room, drawing-room, morning-room, parlour, 7 bedrooms, day nursery, dressing-room, office, 2 servants' bedrooms, linen-room, kitchen, scullery, laundry, ironing-room, large storeroom, pantry, wine-store, back verandah, large cellar, bathroom, tennis court and summer-house and grounds; wooden stable, buggyhouse, feedroom, man's room, cowshed, fowlhouse.
Most of the rooms are corniced, and have elaborate marble mantelpieces, tiled hearths, and marble fenders.
CARDS to view on application.
Messrs. ALLEN, ALLEN, and HEMSLEY are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (1313)

TO SPECULATORS, CAPITALISTS, and OTHERS.

IN ONE LOT.

FLOOD'S ESTATE, adjacent to LEWISHAM.

Almost the whole of the above Estate, as per plan of subdivision on view at the Rooms, comprising
as follows:—
SECTION 1. 57 ALLOTMENTS (generally 20ft. x 120ft.), fronting the Parramatta-road and Albert-street at the corner of Flood-street. On one of the allotments fronting Albert-street is a w.b. cottage.
SECTION 2. 78 ALLOTMENTS (generally 20ft. x 148ft.), fronting Flood, Albert, National, and Myrtle streets. On portions of this block are erected, of brick and weatherboard, 18 cottages of various designs, and accommodation ranging from 2 to 4 rooms, also range of stabling.
SECTION 3. 25 ALLOTMENTS (generally 20ft. x 140ft.), fronting National and Albert streets. On portions of this block are erected of brick and weatherboards 4 cottages of various designs, containing each 5 rooms.
SECTION 4. 26 ALLOTMENTS (generally 20ft. x 120ft.), fronting Flood and Myrtle streets. On portions of this block are 4 Cottages of various designs, and accommodation varying from 2 to 5 rooms. Also Wooden Workshop.

. Full particulars of the several buildings on the above described portions of the Estate obtainable on application to the Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above described portions of the well-known FLOOD'S ESTATE, about 5 minutes' walk from the Lewisham Station.

Plan on View at the Rooms.

TORRENS TITLE. (1314)

DARLING POINT,
the most highly-improved suburb of our city.

By order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate of the late C. NEWTON, Esq.

CHOLLERTON.
A delightfully-situated FAMILY RESIDENCE and attractive Grounds, fronting YARRANBEE-ROAD and the WATERS of the HARBOUR.
The RESIDENCE is substantially built of brick (cemented) on stone foundation, with verandahs and balconies on each floor, and containing wide entrance hall, 11 rooms, bathroom, storeroom, pantry, detached weatherboard and brick bedroom, kitchen, washhouse, scullery, pantry, and fuel house.
The GROUNDS are attractively laid out as lawns, lawn-tennis court, and shrubbery, and have a frontage of 33ft. to YARRANABEE-ROAD, about 322ft. to the WATERS of the HARBOUR, with a depth through of 235ft. on one side and 278ft. on the other. Along the water-frontage is a substantial sea wall.
. The above property occupies one of the choicest sites on Darling Point, and is in the immediate neighbourhood of very high-class properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above highly-improved residence and grounds at Darling Point.
Cards to view obtainable on application to the Auctioneers. (1312)

SUMMER HILL.—SPLENDID BUILDING SITE, 50ft. frontage to west side of MORRIS-STREET, a few feet south of Smith-street, depth 122ft. It is fenced. Auction Sale at our Rooms on FRIDAY, 25th October, at 11 o'clock.
Plan on view.
Torrens title.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

FOR POSITIVE SALE, TO CLOSE THE ESTATE.

By Order of the Administrators Estate late JAMES GORDON.

Important Sale of
PROPERTIES and BANK and BUILDING SOCIETY DEPOSITS.

LOT 1. REDFERN—A two-storey HOUSE, No. 50 GREAT BUCKINGHAM-STREET, between Cleveland and Redfern streets. It is built of brick (cemented front), with verandah (tiled) and balcony in front, and containing hall, 5 rooms, 2 attic rooms, and kitchen. Key at No. 465 Pitt-street, city.
The land has 15ft. x 98ft. 11in., extending to a lane.
LOT 2. WOOLLAHRA—FREEHOLD, a two-storey HOUSE, known as EULALIE, fronting SABER-STREET, east of Rowe-street. It is built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. The land has 20ft. x 74ft., extending to a lane, to which it has 17ft. 10in. frontage.
LOT 3. CAMPERDOWN—An Allotment of Land, having frontages of 22ft. 3in. to UNIVERSITY-STREET, and 24ft. to THOMAS-STREET, with a depth through of 114ft., on which are erected of brick the following premises:—
No. 57 UNIVERSITY-STREET.—A two-storey House, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing half-hall, 4 rooms, pantry, kitchen, and washhouse.
Fronting THOMAS-STREET.—"Hobart," a two-storey House, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing half-hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen.
LOT 4. BURWOOD—A valuable BLOCK of LAND, comprising lots 1 to 4, and 14 to 17, section X, CHELTENHAM ESTATE, in area TWO ACRES and TWENTY-TWO PERCHES, having the following frontages, viz.:—
271 feet 6 inches to VICTORIA-CRESCENT
351 feet 6 inches to SHAFTESBURY-ROAD
269 feet to ANNE-STREET.
LOT 5. SUMMER HILL—TWO Semi-detached COTTAGES, fronting CHAPMAN-STREET, between Carlton-crescent and Smith-street. They are built of brick (cemented fronts) on brick (set in cement) foundations, with verandahs in front, and containing each half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land, 33 feet x 180 feet 4 inches.
LOT 6. ROCKDALE—TWO COTTAGES fronting HERBERT-STREET (south side), off Frederick-street, built of brick (cemented front), with porch (tiled), and containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land, 50ft. x 150ft., known as Mr. J. A. Stevenson's property.
LOT 7. MOSMAN'S BAY—Two Allotments of Land, comprising lots 6 and 7, section 3, HARBOUR VIEW ESTATE, having 66ft. frontage to each View and Nathan streets, with a depth through of 190ft. south of the Military-road.
LOT 8. FLEMINGTON—Underwood Estate, lots 3, 6 to 19, 26 and 27, section 13; and lots 1 to 3, 7 to 9, and 11 to 18, section 17; each lot has 50ft. frontage, with depth of 200ft.
LOT 9. RANDWICK—M'Leric's Estate, ONE HALF-SHARE in the following allotments—viz., lots 6 to 11, section 1; lots 8, 10, 12, 14, 15 to 22, section 2; lots 23 to 25, section 2; and lot 3, section 1, as per plan on view at the Rooms.

BANK AND BUILDING SOCIETY DEPOSITS.
£500 on deposit Australian Joint Stock Bank, Limited;
£47 0 0 on deposit various Building Societies.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above attractive list of properties, &c.
THOS. READ, Esq., King-street, Solicitor for the Estate. (1315)

HOMEBUSH.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

COTTAGE in BROUGHTON-STREET, close to Rochester-street. It is of brick, front tuckpointed, other outside walls cemented, slate roof, verandah in front, and containing hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and laundry. The LAND has 41ft. 8in. frontage to Broughton-street, depth 150ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 25th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
TITLE, TORRENS ACT. (1226)

By Order of TRUSTEES of Assigned Estate.

LEWISHAM.—LOUIEVILLE, a Detached COTTAGE on east side of BISHOP-STREET, between Morgan and Fraser streets, west of Livingstone-road, and about 7 minutes' walk from Lewisham Railway Station. It is of brick (cemented and painted), on stone, verandah front and side, and containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, with pantry, w.b. bathroom, copper in shed. Land has 33ft. frontage x 124ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, key of which is obtainable from auctioneers. (1229)

THE AUCTIONEERS
wish to impress upon the public that
INSTRUCTIONS ARE TO SELL
the following on

NEXT SATURDAY, 26th OCTOBER, 1895,
On THE GROUND, at 3 p.m.

GORDON,
on the Milson's Point to Hornsby Railway Route.

THE COMING DISTRICT,
already showing good signs of development.

SUBDIVISION SALE
of that eligible Block of 85 ACRES,

ALMOST AT GORDON STATION.

It adjoins the Church of England on main road.
WATCH and WAIT.

CLIMATE IS SUPERIOR,

district having elevation, with dry atmosphere.
379 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.
ACCESS IS EASY BY TRAIN.
via a most pleasing route from city.

CONVENIENCES are practically as in the city.

Sites are good, and Soil is excellent for cultivation.

Areas can be acquired to suit all buyers.

*Lane Cove-road Lots, 50 x 165.

GERTRUDE-AVENUE Lots, 100 x 300.

SALE is BONA-FIDE to close the Estate.

Land is only 1 minute from Gordon Station.
Now is the time to buy, as a few years will discover greatly enhanced value for land so well situated as this, in relation to its nearness to station and the general characteristics of this healthy district.
LITHOS Obtainable. ATTEND SALE.
By Order of the Trustees of the Estate late Mr. John Brown.
Terms—¼ cash; balance 6, 9, and 12 months, at 5 per cent.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
THURSDAY, 31st OCTOBER, 1895, at 11 a.m.

COKE WORKS, situated at Wallsend, Newcastle, N.S.W., known as the PURIFIED COAL and COKE COMPANY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH (in conjunction with H. H. Lang, Newcastle) are instructed by the Proprietors to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on the ABOVE DATE,
The right, title, and interest in and to a lease from the Newcastle Wallsend Coal Company, Limited, expiring the 1st March, 1900, together with the plant, &c., as erected on such leasehold, comprising 56 coke ovens, coal washing machine, hoppers, steam engines, tramways, &c., all in working order as they exist on the day of sale, and capable of producing 12,000 tons of coke annually, also lease of manager's house, expiring 31st December, 1895.
Inventory of Plant, Conditions of Sale, Lease, and all other particulars may be seen at the office of the Purified Coal and Coke Company, Newcastle, or at the rooms of the Auctioneers, Sydney.
Stock on hand and Stores to be taken over by the purchaser at schedule quantities and prices.
Possession will be given on the 1st November, 1895.
The terms of payment are: Half cash on the fall of the hammer, and remainder by an approved Bill at 6 months, with 6 per cent. interest added. 1239

HOTEL WITHOUT LEASE,
therefore immediate possession given.

. Goodwill, License, and Fittings go with property.

That well-known Business House,
THE NEWINGTON HOTEL,
erected on land having frontages of
200ft. to STANMORE-ROAD
and
200ft. to MIDDLETON-STREET.

AUCTION SALE,
FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER,
at our Rooms, at 11.30 a.m.
Full particulars in future advertisement.
(1238) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

PADDINGTON. PADDINGTON.

ELIZABETH-STREET, close to Oxford-street, 2d tram and omnibus, DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 4, of brick on stone, verandah front and rear, and containing 8 rooms, weatherboard kitchen and shed. The LAND has 30 FEET frontage, with the great DEPTH of 130 FEET, part along a right of way; the width at rear is 34ft. SEWER. Rental, 15s per week.
. When this building has served its purpose, two houses erected on the land should prove a good investment on outlay.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
The above. (1244)

CROWN-STREET, SURRY HILLS.
Neat and comfortable DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 418, just beyond Collins-street; it is well-built of brick, on stone, slate roof, with verandah and balcony, and contains hall, 5 rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, and washshed. Land is 17ft. 4in. frontage by 90ft. in depth back to a lane.
A desirable residence property, and which will improve in value for business purposes in this leading thoroughfare.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
Above. Inspection invited. (1250)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
CROWN-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO,
between Liverpool and Burton streets.
A BLOCK of LAND, having 36ft. frontage to the west side of CROWN-STREET, with a depth of 108ft. 8in. along a lane, and extending to Little Burton-street at the rear, on which are erected the following premises, viz.:—
Nos. 199 to 203 Crown-st., three two-story Houses.
Nos. 2 to 6 Little Burton-st., three two-story Houses.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above City Investment, full particulars of which (1249) will appear in a future issue. Terms at sale.

UNRESERVED SALE.
THE PROPERTIES OF THE STAR OF COOMA GOLD-MINING SYNDICATE,
in all 30 ACRES,
on COWRA CREEK,
Tumut and Adelong Mining Districts.

Together with 15-head Battery, Engine and Boiler, Amalgamation Pans, &c., and all other Plant, full particulars of which will appear in future issue.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
Above. Star of Cooma Gold-mining Syndicate Leases, &c. (1264)

PARRAMATTA.

COTTAGE Residence, of large accommodation, in MACQUARIE-STREET, next to Reserve, at corner of Church-street, and adjoining St. John's Church of England, a quiet select part of the town. It contains verandahs, hall, 10 rooms, linen-room, pantry, kitchen, storeroom, bathroom, man's room, lumber-room, and laundry, and is now tenanted by Misses Inglis, as a Ladies' College.
Land, 232ft. frontage to MACQUARIE-STREET, 156ft. frontage HUNTER-STREET, with very considerable depth through.
By order of the Trustees of Will of late Mrs. MANSFIELD.
Parramatta is the Suburban Railway Terminus, with numerous quick trains, and has a superior climate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
Above spacious well-built residence and grounds. (1323)

By Order of the Mortgagee.
PADDINGTON.

A large Corner BLOCK of LAND in area 1 rood 28 perches, having 99ft. frontage to ALMA-STREET, off Glenmore-road, and 174ft. 2in. to a side street, with a depth on the western boundary of 199ft. 8in., on which are erected a Weatherboard Cottage and range of Stabling (ten stalls and shed).
The attention of Dray Proprietors, Dairymen, Cabmen, and others is directed to the Sale of the above property.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner property, known as Summers's Wood and Coal Yard. Full particulars in a future issue.
CHAS. R. FLETCHER, Esq., 18 Bridge-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee. (1247)

LAKE ILLAWARRA,
on the South Coast Railway Line,
BROWNSVILLE,
situate between Kembla Grange and Dapto Railway Station.
That well-known property
THE ILLAWARRA LAKE HOTEL,
erected on
a valuable block of land, comprising an area of
3 ACRES 1 ROOD 29 PERCHES,
having 8 chains 86 links frontage to the Main South Coast Road, and 7 chains 50 links to another road.
The House is substantially built of brick (cemented) on stone and concrete foundation, with verandahs and balconies in front, and contains 2 bars, 28 rooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 lavatories, storeroom, kitchen and scullery, cellar, &c.; detached stable, coachhouse, buggyshed, and hay loft.
The above property is situate opposite the COUNTRY MILK COMPANY'S DEPOT, and in close proximity to the extensive HARBOUR WORKS at Lake Illawarra and the SITE of the AUSTRALIAN SMELTING COMPANY'S WORKS.
THE ILLAWARRA LAKE HOTEL is without doubt the most complete property of its class on the whole of the South Coast, a favourite resort of tourists and sportsmen, in the neighbourhood of excellent fishing and shooting, and with the prospect of improvement in its trade by the development of the Coal Mines and the extensive Harbour Works and Smelting Works now in progress on the shores of Lake Illawarra. In the hands of an energetic man, this property should prove a capital investment.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by auction (in conjunction with Mr. D. L. DYMOCK), at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described hotel property, at BROWNSVILLE, near ILLAWARRA HARBOUR.
To be sold FREE OF LEASE, therefore IMMEDIATE possession can be given, and the goodwill, license, furniture, and fittings go with the property.
Terms liberal at Sale.
TORRENS TITLE. (1242)

PEREMPTORY SALE.

FREEHOLD CITY INVESTMENTS.

VALUABLE CORNER PROPERTIES,
ABERCROMBIE, O'CONNOR, and DICK STREETS,
GEORGE-STREET WEST.

TITLE, Torrens Act. TERMS: Two-thirds of the purchase money can remain secured on the property at 5 per cent. per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
LOT 1.—CORNER LAND, having following frontages:—60 FEET to Abercrombie-street, 205 FEET to O'Connor-street, on which are those well-known extensive corner premises, THE CLUB HOUSE HOTEL; also 3 SHOPS, Nos. 60, 62, and 64 Abercrombie-street, and 7 HOUSES, Nos. 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49 O'Connor-street. They occupy a well-letting position in a very populous portion of the city, close to the railway terminus, Tooth's Brewery, &c. ANNUAL RENTAL, £473.

LOT 2.—CORNER LAND, with following frontages:—48 FEET to Abercrombie-street, adjoining lot 1, and 78 FEET to Dick-street, on which is a SMALL COTTAGE and a WOOD and COAL YARD.

PLAN of the Land may be inspected at the Rooms. (1243)

PETERSHAM HEIGHTS,
close to Town Hall and Railway Station.
Only two minutes from the latter.

BONERA, a delightfully-situated Villa Residence in FISHER-STREET (off Crystal-street), substantially built of brick on stone, slate roof, verandah and balcony, containing hall, drawing and breakfast rooms (folding doors), dining-room, sitting-room, five bedrooms, servants' room, linen cupboard, bathroom, kitchen and laundry.
The land has 50ft. frontage, with a depth of 100ft.
. An attractive and comfortable home, in a choice spot, and in good order. The position commands extensive views.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Inspection invited. Cards for this purpose obtainable from auctioneers. TITLE TORRENS. (1251)

BURWOOD HEIGHTS,
within 15 minutes from Strathfield Railway Station.

GLENELG HOUSE and GROUNDS,
having frontages to
EMU, WONGA, and WILLIE STREETS,
close to the Mansion and Grounds of A. G. Ralston, Esq., C. H. Myles, Esq., Mrs. Thompson, G. Blaxland, Esq., and other first-class properties.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on
FRIDAY, 1st November,
at 11 o'clock,
The above. Full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. In the meantime inspection invited. (1237)

OXFORD HOTEL, DRUMMOYNE,
and Terrace of FIVE Dwelling-houses, being that very attractive block at the corner of
BIRKENHEAD-ROAD and LYONS-ROAD,
a most central position, ensuring a large trade at the junction of this thoroughfare. The residences are convenient to Steamer. The Hotel is substantially built of brick, slate roof, with balconies, bar, cellar, 14 rooms, bathroom, pantry, &c., &c. The FIVE HOUSES in Lyons-road are of stone and brick, slate roofs, and have verandah, balcony, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washshed. The corner has Shop window.
Total land being 120ft. frontage BIRKENHEAD-ROAD, 150ft. LYONS-ROAD, and along another street.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
Above hotel and terrace, Drummoyne. (1253)

IN ONE LOT.
Good Investments.

1. TWO SHOPS, MILSON'S POINT-ROAD,
at the corner of Fitzroy-street. They are of brick and contain each shop (corner), 4 rooms, kitchen, iron shed in yard; and Shop, 3 rooms. Land 30ft. Milson's Point-road, depth along Fitzroy-street. Rental, £130 per annum.
A throng thoroughfare close to the ferry.

2. MILLER-STREET, OPPOSITE RESERVE.
TWO RESIDENCES, known as "Sonning" and "Burrangong," each three-story, built of brick, slate roof, and containing verandah, balcony, hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land 37ft. by depth varying from 158ft. to 182ft. extending to a street.
A delightful situation opposite the spacious attractive Park.
By order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Messrs. Makinson and Plunkett are Solicitors for the Mortgagee. (1255)

CITY, No. 63 SHEPHERD-STREET, close to George-street West.

A two-story SHOP and DWELLING, built of brick on stone foundation and containing 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen and washhouse, gas and city water, and connected with the sewer. Land 15ft. x 90ft., extending to a lane.
Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (1248)

WAVERLEY.—Neat COTTAGE, detached, fronting READ-ST., Palmerston Estate, off Birrell-st., handy to Bondi Tram; it is of brick, on stone, slate roof, verandah front and rear, and containing half-hall, 4 rooms. The LAND has 40ft. frontage to Read-st., depth 118ft. back to lane. Gas, city water. AUCTION SALE at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock, the above, in the occupation of Mr. J. O'Brien.
(1265) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

INVERELL.—Portion No. 176, area 23 ACRES 1 rood and 8 perches, close to Town of Inverell, originally granted to GEO. MULLIGAN, and known as property of late Mr. Brookes. AUCTION SALE, at our Rooms, 98 Pitt-st., Sydney, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 11 o'clock. Torrens title. C. R. FLETCHER, Bridge-st., is Solicitor of Mortgagee.
(1246) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

SPECIAL DAY.

By order of the Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited,
ON THEIR EASY TERMS.
ASHFIELD.
5 Lots Murrell's Estate, facing Victoria-street and Tintern-road.
LEWISHAM,
quite handy to the railway station,
Various Lots fronting Thomas-street, Carrington-street, and Parramatta-road, chiefly each 20ft. frontage by good depths, being portions of the well-improved North Lewisham Estate.
MARRICKVILLE,
part of Lloyd's Estate.
Corner Brick Cottage, Sydenham-road, 5 rooms and kitchen
W'board Cottage, Sydenham-road, 4 rooms
W'board Cottage, Petersham-road, 4 rooms.
Also
Various Allotments thereon, facing Sydenham-road, Centennial-street, and Petersham-road.
BRONTE ESTATE, WAVERLEY,
in view of Bondi Beach, &c.
Several Lots hereon fronting Bronte-road, Pacific-street, Bay View-street, and Murray-street.
LEICHHARDT,
4 Lots of Marian Estate, each 20ft. Foster and Hawthorne streets.
STRATHFIELD ESTATE, ENFIELD.
Lots fronting Homebush-road, Barton and Dean streets.

EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT.
Lithographs on view at the Rooms of Auctioneers.
AUCTION SALE,
MONDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, at 11.30 sharp.
(1260) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

BLACKHEATH,
the Sanatorium of the West for
CLIMATE AND CONVENIENCES.
A very roomy and most comfortable Cottage Residence and Grounds, known as Belvedere (area to suit purchasers), occupying a pleasant situation on a hill, commanding extensive views; it is well built of weatherboards, painted, on brick foundations; has verandahs, porch, hall, drawing and dining rooms, five bedrooms, pantry, lobby, large kitchen, scullery, and servants' room, laundry, &c., &c. Stabling for horse and trap.
The Grounds are planted with ornamental trees in great variety, and will develop into an attractive feature in a few years. These include acacia, cedar, poplars, willows, elms, lilac, plane, fir, &c., together with a large assortment of shrubs and flowering plants. Hawthorn hedge. In the orchard are apple, plum, cherry, quince, gooseberry, raspberry, currants, and strawberries, &c.
Area of Land to suit a buyer, from 9 acres to 20 acres.
Only an easy walk from Blackheath Station, adjoining the Retreat of Mark Foy, Esq.
FURNITURE throughout, in good taste and order; can, if desired, be taken at a low valuation.
TORRENS TITLE. TERMS.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited (instructed by C. S. Mansfield, Esq.), will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 8th November, at 11 o'clock.
The above, recommended to inspection. Key with Mr. A. Masterson, Blackheath, near station. (1318)

TO STEAM COMPANIES, WHARFINGERS, TIMBER MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.

WATER FRONTAGE, DRUMMOYNE.
Valuable and Extensive Block of Waterside LAND,
AREA TWO ACRES,
adjoining the DRUMMOYNE Wharf, Parramatta River, having a substantial seawall, the frontage being about 360ft. to waters of the river, with considerable depth, and of greater width at the rear to practicable roadways.
Suitable for wharf or factory purposes, as being convenient to the city, and especially so in regard to the numerous and populous western suburbs, in connection with which this site could be made to prove very valuable.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 15th November, at 11 o'clock,
Above grand wharf frontage.
TITLE, TORRENS. PLAN ON VIEW. (1227)

DRUMMOYNE,
one of the prettiest and best improved suburbs on PARRAMATTA RIVER.
WATER FRONTAGE BLOCK, lot 13, section 6, 60ft. to St. George's-crescent (and very considerable depth), also to the waters of Parramatta River. Reclamation areas secured.
LYONS-ROAD, lots 1 and 2, section 8, 102ft. frontage by 150ft. along Collingwood-street. A convenient site, Eastern aspect.
ST. GEORGE'S-CRESCENT, lot 16, section 6, 66ft. frontage, much greater width at rear, and very fair depth. Very convenient to steamers' wharf.
TORRENS ACT TITLES.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 15th November, at 11 o'clock,
Above Drummoyne lands. For positive sale. Plan on view. (1228)

HUNTER'S HILL.
splendid elevated situation, overlooking the LANE COVE RIVER,
frontage is to Woolwich-road, opposite the attractive large properties of C. E. Jeanneret, Esq., and Capt. M'Lean,
ELIGIBLE VILLA SITES,
each 66ft. frontage to said main road, with varying great depths extending to a parade.
BEAUTIFUL SITES near FERRIES.

Lithographs ready. Terms, ¼ cash, balance 1, 2, and 3 years credit at 5 per cent interest.

AUCTION SALE on the GROUND,
SATURDAY, 16th NOVEMBER,
at 3 o'clock.

The above recommended to buyers.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (1307)

GORDON.
North Shore Railway Line.
Clearance Sale of the BALANCE of the well-known GORDONDALE ESTATE, immediately at the Railway Station, comprising some of the best Building Land, in the centre of the village. High, choice, and improved Residential Sites, fronting Park-avenue, Elizabeth and Harold streets, and Railway Reserve; also Business Sites fronting the Lane Cove-road.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms, ON AN EARLY DATE, due notice of which will be announced.
(1250) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

TO BUILDERS, INVESTORS, and SPECULATORS.

THE PICK OF CHATSWOOD.

THE GREAT NORTHERN HOTEL PADDOCK SUBDIVISION.

The beautifully elevated and cleared spot known for the past years as the Chatswood Recreation Ground.
The subdivision has been liberally planned so as to give 38 good Building SITES, including 2 Brick Cottages, fronting the main Gordon-road, Mowbray-road, and a new road leading from Mowbray-road to Moriarty-street.

J. Y. MILLS has been instructed by the Mortgagees to sell by auction, on the Ground, THIS DAY, 19th October, at 3 o'clock,
The Great Northern Hotel Recreation Ground subdivision, one of the choicest localities on the Milson's Point railway line. The character of the locality has been well established as a good class residence suburb by the first-class dwellings erected and occupied by J. de V. Lamb, Esq., N. F. Giblin, Esq., — Freeman, Esq., Captain Carvosso, and others.
The distance is only 15 minutes by rail from Milson's Point.
Plans now ready on application.
Terms to meet the times:—
Ten per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. in 6 months, 10 per cent. in 12 months, the balance can remain for 5 years at 5 per cent.
If purchasers build, the whole of the 80 per cent. can remain at 5 per cent.
To simplify Title for Buyers an application has been made to get a Title under Torrens Act.
J. Y. MILLS, Auctioneer,
161 Pitt-street.

Messrs. CREAGH and WILLIAMS, Solicitors for Mortgagees.

The Auctioneer calls special attention to this sale, as no locality so near Sydney offers such a certainty of an increase on the prices of to-day.

Under the terms offered, so little money is required to secure the profit.

J. J. MACFADYEN, Auctioneer, will sell at Botany-road, Frontages, Tunbridge's freehold property, land and houses, near North Botany, Town Hall, SATURDAY, 26th October, 3.30 p.m. Without Reserve.

BANKRUPT ESTATE OF MICHAEL FLEMING.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, at 11 a.m.
In the Rooms, 267 George-street.
By order of the Official Assignee.
The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest (if any) in and to a piece of Land, having 1ft. frontage to Cleveland-street, near Crown-street, and running along Cleveland-avenue. The Land has a frontage along Cleveland-avenue of about 200ft., and extends to a fence at the end of Cleveland-avenue.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above.
TERMS, CASH.

AUBURN. AUBURN. AUBURN.

SATURDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 26, instant,
on the GROUND, on the GROUND.
FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
By Order of the MORTGAGEES,
6 VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
GOOD POSITIONS, GOOD POSITIONS,
LONG DEPTHS, BIG FRONTAGES, LONG DEPTHS,
on the
AUBURN TOWNSHIP and LANGTRY ESTATES,
near the Railway.
Frontages to Cumberland-road
Frontages to Normanby-road
Frontages to Harrow-road
Frontages to Beatrice and Alice streets.
NO LOT LESS THAN 40ft. FRONTAGE.
Call for Plan and Particulars
Call for Plan and Particulars.

BARNARD and CO. will sell by auction as above.
Every Lot for Positive Unreserved Sale.
Title Freehold. Easy Terms. Easy Terms.
Office—Commercial-chambers, 74 Castlereagh-street.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

AUCTION SALE
of
VALUABLE
COPPER-MINING PROPERTY.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. are instructed by the Mortgagees to Dispose of by AUCTION,
at
THE WOOL EXCHANGE,
Macquarie-place, Sydney,
on
FRIDAY, 15th NOVEMBER NEXT,
at Noon,
The GIRILAMBONE COPPER MINE,
with the
MINE BUILDINGS, TOWNSHIP LOTS, &c.,
about 400 ACRES FREEHOLD LAND,
Situated 2 miles from the Girilambone Railway, New South Wales, with all the EXTENSIVE SMELTING and REFINERY SHEDS, FURNACES, TOOLS, MACHINERY, PLANT, &c., and about 3000 TONS of ORE at grass, estimated to contain about 200 TONS of COPPER.
The Machinery and Plant, Buildings, &c., being all in PERFECT ORDER, mining and smelting can be resumed at a week's notice.
So little of the ores having been taken out, the "GIRILAMBONE" COPPER MINE may be considered as a Rich Virgin Mine; and surrounding it is an Inexhaustible Supply of Firewood for smelting purposes.

The TERMS of SALE
will be
ONE-THIRD CASH,
balance in 5 equal yearly payments
at 5 per cent. interest,
property secured.

INVESTORS
are invited to make
EARLY INSPECTION.
For further particulars, inspection order, &c.,
apply to
HILL, CLARK, and CO.,
5 O'Connell-street,
Sydney.

T. HOLDERNESS, 305 Pitt-street, has for SALE:—
Lindfield.—Superb Building Sites.
Roseville.—Splendid position, £70 per acre.
Hurstville.—Charming Villas, from £400 to £600; bargains. Cottages, £120.
Hornsby.—Business and Country Residence Sites, at prices below anything else.
Auburn.—20 Cottages, at sacrificing prices.
Western Railway Line.—Cottage and 20 Acres, £120; Orchard Blocks, down to £3 10s per acre.

STARTLING PRICES.

An Opportunity rarely met with. Full particulars and directions upon application.
The Above will not refuse any reasonable offer, in order to wind up the Companies interested.

In the Metropolitan, Suburban, and Hunter District Court, holden at Sydney, No. 2277, of A.D. 1895.
KEYSE v NOM CHONG.
ON the 16th day of November, at 10.30 of the clock in the forenoon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the REGISTRAR will sell by public auction, at the District Courthouse, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest (if any) of the above-named defendant of, in, and to all that piece of land situated at Braidwood, in the parish of Boyle and county of St. Vincent, containing 1 rood 18½ perches, being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title registered volume 1054, folio 231, and which said land is subject to a mortgage dated 10th September, 1894, No. 180,266.
WM. JOHN HALLORAN (L.S.), Registrar.

GORDON, Brown's Estate, Next Saturday.—Get Litho and inspect this choice Estate. R. and W., Ltd.

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late JAMES PERRY are informed that his Funeral will leave St. Vincent's Hospital at 1.30 p.m. THIS DAY, for the Necropolis. Mrs. F. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers, 88 Hunter-street. Telephone, 875.

THE FUNERAL of the deceased Mrs. GEORGE DAY LLOYD will leave her late residence, 84 Harris-street, Pyrmont, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Balmain Cemetery.
THOMAS, Undertaker, York-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ARTHUR YOUNG are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Elizabeth; to move from his residence, 56 Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis.
CHAS. KINSELA and COMPANY, Undertakers, 116 Oxford-street; 78 Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst; 763 George-st.; and Rockdale. Tel., 992.

THE FRIENDS of the late MARY THOMAS are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from District Hospital, Parramatta, TO-MORROW (Sunday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Prospect. WM. METCALFE, Undertaker, Parramatta and Penrith.

THE FRIENDS of JANE and CHARLES JOHNSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved MOTHER, Janet Johnson; to move from her late residence, Church-street, Rookwood, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood. WM. METCALFE, Und.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. ROBERT, REGINALD, and FRANCES HARVEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-beloved MOTHER, Janet Johnson; to move from her late residence, Church-street, Rookwood, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Church of England Cemetery, R'wood.

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New drawn frae the Forth."

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RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Church of England.

CHRIST CHURCH, S. LAURENCE.
XIX. SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.
Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.
Matins, 10.30 a.m., Choral.
Eucharist, with Sermon, 11 a.m.
Evensong, 7 p.m.

ST. MICHAEL'S, Moore Park.—Rev. J. O. Fenton at 11, Rev. Dr. Manning at 7.

ST. PHILIP'S.—Morning: Ven. Archdeacon J. D. Langley. Evening: Ven. Arch Deacon W. Langley.

ST. ANDREW'S, Summer Hill.—Ven. Archdeacon H. A. Langley, of Melbourne, 11; Rev. John Vaughan, 7.

ST. MATTHIAS', Paddington.—11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., Rev. J. W. Gillett, B.A.

ST. PAUL'S, REDFERN.—11 a.m., Rev. F. B. Boyce; 7 p.m., Rev. E. Lampard, B.A.

ST. THOMAS', Balmain.—11 a.m., Rev. C. K. Cole; 3 p.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. J. Dixon.

ST. SIMON and St. JUDE'S, Campbell-st., S. H.—The Happy People. Rev. J. G. Southby.

ST. THOMAS', North Sydney.—Services, 8, 11, 11.45 a.m., and 7 p.m. Vicar and Bishop of Bathurst.

ST. BARNABAS', George-street West.—6th Anniversary of the Induction of the Rev. W. Martin. Preachers: 11 a.m., Rev. W. Martin; 7 p.m., the Primate. All seats free.

ST. JAMES'S, CROYDON.
Rev. A. E. BELLINGHAM, M.A., will preach (D.V.) TO-MORROW, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. S. FOX.

ST. MARK'S, Darling Point.—19th Sunday after Trinity.—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Non-choral Celebration, 12.15; Evensong and Serm., 7 p.m. Rev. Albert Gailey, B.A.; Rev. W. G. Fenton.

S. JAMES', Sydney, 19th Sunday After Trinity.—8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m. Matins, Holy Communion. Preacher Rev. T. K. Abbott. 7 p.m., Evensong, Preacher Rev. T. K. Abbott.

ST. JOHN'S, DARLINGHURST.
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS for the PAROCHIAL DAY SCHOOLS.
Holy Communion, 8 a.m. and mid-day.
11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.,
Rev. A. KILLWORTH, B.A., LL.B.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.
Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m.
Collections at each Service for the Choir Fund.
Preachers:
11, the Lord Bishop of Bathurst;
3.15, the Dean of Melbourne;
7, Rev. R. Noake, B.A.

TO THE RT. REVD. THE ANGLICAN BISHOPS IN AUSTRALIA.

Rt. Revd. Fathers in God,—
On the 1st Nov.—the Festival of All Saints—some of you will be asked to assist in the consecration of an Assistant Bishop for this Diocese. Before the event takes place, I desire, as a Priest of 35 years' standing in this Diocese, and for some time Archdeacon of the Darling Downs, to call your attention to the following facts, and to ask you whether in the face of this evidence you will be prepared to proceed with the consecration in direct opposition to the evidence adduced:—

I.—That this endowment was obtained solely by my efforts and representation, and only on a very definite understanding and assurance with the Testatrix, which a plain, honest interpretation of the will bears out.

II.—That the Testatrix, the widow of a carpenter, an illiterate person, for some years a Congregationalist, always scrupulously particular about the outlay of every shilling, would have stubbornly refused to let so large a share of her bequest go to the income of one Missioner—though a Bishop. She would have said, "Let others do their share."

III.—That all who knew her intimately, as I did (and I have forwarded some of their names to the Primate) have concurred in this opinion.

IV.—That against this is set the opinion of the Diocesan Council and the Trustees; not one of whom knew her—except one or two officially—none as friends.

V.—That after waiting a number of years till £1250 have accumulated, that might have been spent in carrying out her wishes for the relief of the spiritual destitution in the West—this scheme ought not to have been sprung upon the Diocesan Council, of which I am a member, by a telegram in the morning papers—as

VI.—A frank, patient consideration of the whole question could have devised means, I believe, for accomplishing the object without doing any violence to the wishes of the dead, as you would, should you proceed to the consecration, and who would naturally look to me to protect her wishes.

VII.—Should you proceed to consecration, I feel sure you will strike a fatal blow at bequests to the Church in the future, and only deepen the conviction that we believe more in a conventional Christianity than in the Divine Blessing. In fact, are you not going to ask the Divine Blessing on a questionable right, if not on a wrong?

VIII.—I have publicly challenged the administration of the whole fund as a scandal to the Church and religion. If, in the face of all this, you proceed, you are coming well-nigh to what Canon Newbold has been denouncing so hotly of late in S. Paul's Cathedral, repeating the damning sin of all history, "the sin of expediency"—of doing a little harm that good may come. It is this that has weakened the Church in all ages, till to-day the world is nearer converting the Church than the Church the world.

IX.—That years ago, when Archdeacon Glennie, Mr. Drew, and I drew up a resolution dealing with this fund, and then tried hard to have a limit of £200 or £300 per annum inserted in the resolution.
T. JONES.
Indooroopilly, 8th October.

Roman Catholic.

HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL MORAN will Bless and Lay the Foundation Stone of ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL CHURCH, at O'Brien-street, Bondi, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, at 3.45.
'Buses leave St. Charles' Church at 3.30, and return to the city immediately after the ceremony.
P. R. KENNEDY, O.S.F.

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL, To-morrow, at 11 a.m.—Mons. Napoleon-Boffard, French tenor, will sing "Ave Maria," transcribed of celebrated Andante of 5th Concerto of Herz by Sizes. Mr. Delany will play the accompaniment.

Presbyterian.

ANNANDALE.—Hunter-Baillie Memorial Church.—11, Rev. F. F. Mackenzie; 3, Children's Service, distribution of prizes; 7, Rev. George Paul. Wednesday, 23rd Oct., 7.45 p.m., Preparatory Communion Service, Rev. J. Ferguson, St. Stephen's, city.

ASHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Liv'erp.-rd. CHILDREN'S DAY, TO-MORROW.
At 11 a.m.—Sermon to children and parents.
At 7 p.m.—Sermon to young men and young women on "The Dreams and Disappointments of Youth."
All invited. Seats free. JOHN AULD, M.A., Minister.

BURWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. J. Ewen, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Mr. D. Walker at 3 p.m. (children's day). On MONDAY, in School of Arts, Burwood, LECTURE by Rev. J. Ewen. Free.

CHALMER'S (opposite Exhibition Building).—Rev. J. MILNE, M.A., 11, Luke 7, "Patience."

GLEBE Presbyterian Church.—Rev. T. E. Clouston, B.A., morning and evening.

NEWTOWN Presbyterian Church.—Special Services: 11, Rev. T. W. Dunn; 3 and 7, Rev. Dr. Frackelton.

PITT and Hay sts. Presbyterian Church.—Rev. R. Dill Macky, 11 and 7; Rev. Mr. Macaulay, 3 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. J. Urwin-Spence, New Zealand, morning and evening.

RANDWICK Presbyterian.—Children's Day, Rev. Dr. Frackelton, 11; Rev. T. W. Dunn, 3 and 7.15.

SCOTS CHURCH.—Rev. W. M. Dill Macky, 11 a.m., "Baptism." 7 p.m., "Sowing and Reaping."

ST. GEORGE'S FREE CHURCH, Castlereagh-st.—Rev. T. S. Forsaith, morning and evening.

ST. LUKE'S PRESBYTERIAN Church, Redfern.—Rev. T. J. Curtis, "The Children," 11; "Responsibility," 7.

ST. STEPHEN'S Presbyterian Church, Phillip-st.—Rev. John Ferguson, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S, Paddington.—Rev. J. FULTON, Children's Day. 11 a.m. Birds, No. 1, Eagle, &c.; 3 p.m. Flower Service; 7 p.m. to young people, "Harmless Hobbies." Tuesday, 8 p.m., Concert, &c. Admission Free.

WAVERLEY Presbyterian Church, Charing Cross.—11 Rev. J. Macaulay, M.A.; 7.15, Rev. Waugh, M.A.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO Presby. Ch., Palmer-st.—Children's Day. Rev. Preston, 11; Rev. R. Edgar, 3, 7.15.

WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner Ocean and Forth streets.
Rev. JOHN WALKER, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Congregational.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Jas. Hill, M.A., at 11; Mr. Henry Varley at 7.

BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Morning, 11. Evening, 7.15. Rev. George Campbell.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, NEWTOWN.—Rev. WARLOW DAVIES, M.A., To-morrow, 11 and 7.

CROYDON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Sunday, Oct. 20, Rev. R. F. Becher, B.A., morning.

CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—THIRTIETH ANNUAL SESSION.
The MEETINGS will commence on MONDAY, 21st October, in Pitt-street Congregational Church, at 7.30 p.m. Sermon by Rev. G. LITTLEMORE, followed by United Communion; Rev. Wm. Allen, retiring chairman, presiding.

DEVONSHIRE-ST. Congregational Sunday-school.—Anniversary Services To-morrow. Rev. R. Edgar at 11 a.m.; A. Foster Watchorn at 3 (Flower Service); Rev. S. Savage at 7 p.m. Picnic to Chowder Bay, Wed., 23rd.

GLEBE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. E. Adams, morning, 11; evening, 7.

HOMEBUSH Congregational Church.—Rev. Dr. Fraser, 11 a.m.; Rev. R. F. Becher, B.A., 7.15.

LEICHHARDT CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.—Morning, Rev. Isaac Herford; Afternoon, Mr. W. L. Patison. Evening, Rev. Isaac Herford.
Anthems and Hymns will be rendered by the scholars' orchestra.

N.S.W. CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.
The Sixteenth Annual MEETING will be held in Pitt-street Church, on THURSDAY, 24th October, at 7.30 p.m. Rev. W. J. L. Closs, B.A., President. Address by Rev. Dr. Bevan. The Medals, Prizes, and Certificates gained at Scholars' Exams. will be distributed. Special Singing by Petersham, Pitt-street, Point Piper-road, Balmain, and Bourke-street S. Schools' Choirs.
Collection on behalf of Prize Fund.
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OCEAN-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. S. Savage, 11 and 7.

PITT-ST. Cong'l. School Festival, October 27th and 29th. Preacher, Dr. Bevan. Picnic Sat., Nov. 2, Fern Bay.

POINT PIPER-RD. CHURCH.—Rev. J. Fordyce, M.A., morn., 11; even., 7. Subject: "Ye must be born again."

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. E. T. Dunstan, 11 and 7. Evening, "Homely Talks on Homely Themes" and "At Business." Young people in business are specially invited.

REDFERN Congl. Ch.—Rev. F. Binns. M., "The Trees Choosing a King;" E., "Witnessing for Christ."

SUMMER HILL Congregational Church.—To-morrow, morning and evening. Rev. W. J. L. Closs, B.A.

Wesleyan.

BURWOOD Wesleyan Church Sunday School Anniversary Services, TO-MORROW, Sunday, October 20th.—Rev. J. E. Moulton will preach at 11 a.m., and conduct Special Children's Service at 3 p.m. Rev. J. Woolnough will preach at 7 p.m. Annual Tea and Public Meeting, Wednesday, 23rd October.

CLEVELAND-ST. Wesleyan Church.—11, Rev. G. Lane; 7, Rev. J. S. Austin. Monday, Gosp. Lantern Service.

CENTENARY HALL, YORK-STREET.
Rev. GEORGE MARTIN, 11: "The Throne of Grace."
PEOPLE'S SERVICE, 7, Rev. RAINSFORD BAVIN: "Moral Backbone." Full Choir and Orchestra.
Mr. HENRY VARLEY will give a LECTURE, at 3, to MEN ONLY, on "The Advantages of Chastity." Youths under 15 not admitted.
CONSECRATION SERVICE, TO-NIGHT, 7.30, in Princes street Church.
MIDDAY SERVICE every day next week, 1 to 2, by Mr. Henry Varley.

NEWTOWN Wesleyan Church.—Special Day, Rev. R. Bavin, of C. M., 11; Rev. J. W. Winspear, 7.

WESLEYAN Church, Bourke-st., Surry Hills.—Morning, Rev. J. Austin; evening, Rev. G. Lane. M. ser.

Baptist.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Burton-st. Tabernacle.—Mr. Hy. Varley, 11; Rev. W. R. Hiddlestone, 7; Domain, 3.

BAPTIST Church, Boulevard, Petersham.—Dr. Thos. Porter, morning and evening. Seats free, all welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Harris-st., Ultimo.—Pastor H. Clark, 11, 7. "After Death—What." Men. service.

BATHURST-ST. BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Seth Jones, of Newcastle, morning at 11, evening at 7.

MARRICKVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH, Silver-st.—Rev. F. Hibberd, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEWTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. Collier, 11: "The Glory of Fruitfulness;" 7, "A Friend Indeed."

STRICT Baptist Church, Oddfellows' Temple, Elizabeth-st.—Every Lord's Day, 11 and 7. Prehr., Mr. Prenslin.

Other Services.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, HYDE PARK.
Rev. GEORGE WALTERS.
Morning, at 11, "Force of Habit."
7 p.m., Farewell Address to Liberal Thinkers.

ALEXANDRIA Town Hall.—11, Mr. Livingston; 7, Mr. Wilson. Botany, Mr. T. Chick, 3 and 7 p.m.

ANNANDALE Primitive Methodist Church.—M. Reavley, minister, 11, 7.

ALL CHRISTIANS are very earnestly asked to help in the meetings for Hebrews; (1) by prayer daily, (2) by inviting Jews. (See advt. under Meetings.)
E. P. F.

BOURKE-ST. Congregational Church.—Mrs. Varley's Women's MEETING, Monday Afternoon, at 3.

CHRISTADELPHIAN Hall, 418 Elizabeth-st.—Sunday, at 7 p.m., Lecture, "The Unconscious Dead."

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Freethought Hall), Campbell-st.—Chas. Watt, 7, "Destroyed for lack of knowledge."

DORCAS SOCIETY, Sydney City Mission, Pitt-st., Meet Monday, 2.30 p.m. M. A. Mulholland, hon. sec.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.
FESTIVAL SERVICE at St. Andrew's Cathedral, on THURSDAY, October 24th, at 7.30 p.m.
PREACHER: THE MOST REV. THE PRIMATE.
The Diocesan Choirs Festival Music will be repeated by the Choirs of the Association. Tea in Lyceum Hall, back of Cathedral, 6.15 p.m. Tickets, 1s, to be had at the door. G. DE MONTEMAS, Diocesan Secretary.

GOSPEL TENT.
EVANGELISTIC SERVICES will be conducted (D.V.) by Messrs. Robert M'Elheran and John Trimble in the Tent, pitched top Mount-street, North Shore, commencing TO-MORROW (Lord's Day) AFTERNOON 3 o'clock, evening 7 o'clock, and every evening during the week (Saturday excepted), commencing at 7.45. Sankey's Hymns.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.—MEMBERS of Friendly Societies desiring Collection Boxes can obtain them at the G.U.O.O.F. Hall, Castlereagh-street, TO-NIGHT, SATURDAY, from 7 to 9. JAS. FINCH, Hon. Sec.

LEICHHARDT TOWN HALL.—Rev. A. J. Clarke, orchestra, &c. Aft., 3; eve., 7.

LECTURE TO MEN ONLY, TO-MORROW (Sunday) Afternoon, at 3, on "THE ADVANTAGES OF CHASTITY," in Centenary Hall, York-street, by
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MANCHESTER UNITY HALL, Castlereagh-st.—Sunday, 7, Pastor M'Cullagh. Subject: Dan. 7, 27.

NEW CHURCH, Temperance Hall.—Dr. Simmons, "Is it right to Pray for Temporal Blessings?"

PIONEER, No. 30 L.O.L.—Second SERVICE, Wesleyan Church, Oxford-street, Paddington, TO-MORROW, 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. C. W. Graham. Subject, "The Mission of Protestantism."

REV. SETH JONES, from Newcastle, will preach in Bathurst-st. Baptist Church morning and evening.

SPIRITUALISM.—Public Seance Sunday, 7.30, Trance and Clairvoyant dem., coll. 43 Oxford-st., upstairs.

SPIRITUALISTIC Asso., 301 Pitt-street, 7.30. Address by Mr. Edwards, "Immortality." Open Meet'g Mon'y.

SPECIAL RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
SPECIAL SERMONS will be Preached on behalf of the above:—
ST. JOHN'S, ASHFIELD—Evening: Very Rev. DEAN OF MELBOURNE, D.D.
ST. MATTHIAS', PADDINGTON—Morning: Rev. J. W. GILLETT, B.A.

SOCIALIST LEAGUE, Leigh House, 233 Castlereagh-street.—SUNDAY EVENING, 8 o'clock. Lecture by W. M. HUGHES, M.L.A. Subject: "Social Evolution." Musical Programme.

STEWARDS of TRUTH, Christian Spiritualists, Tattersall's Hall, corner Hunter Castlereagh sts.—Sunday Services: Morning, 11 o'clock, subject, "Nathan, or Thou art the Man." Evening, 7.30, subject chosen by the aud.

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